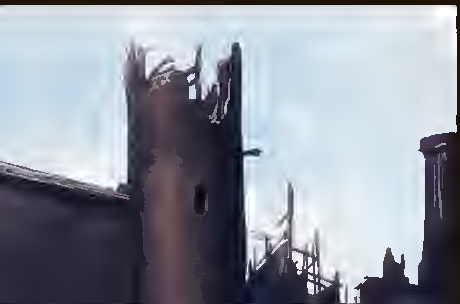
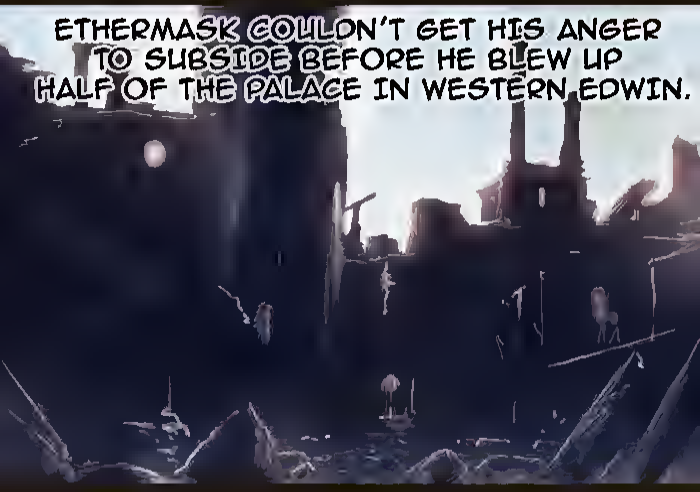
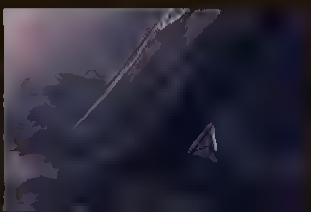



ETHERMASK COULDN'T GET HIS ANGER TO SUBSIDE BEFORE HE BLEW UP HALF OF THE PALACE IN WESTERN EDWIN.

RUINS OF THE PALACE REMAINED ONLY TO PROVE THAT THE RUMORS ABOUT HIM WERE TRUE.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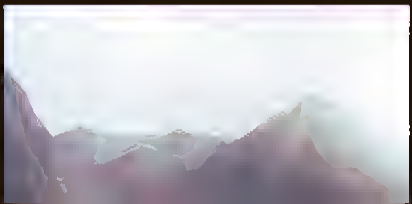
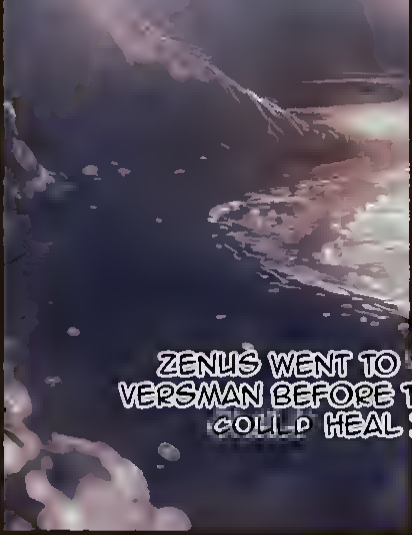
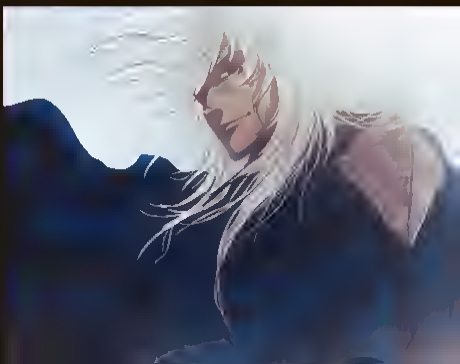
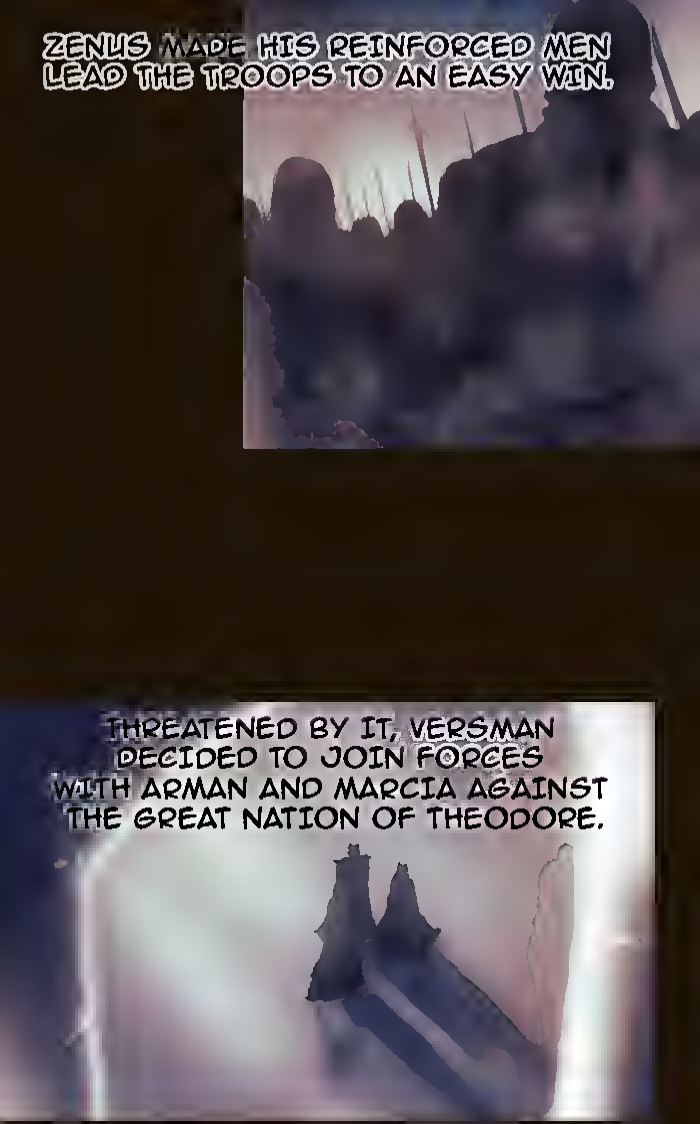
SOON HIS NAME STARTED TO FADE AWAY IN PEOPLE'S MEMORIES.

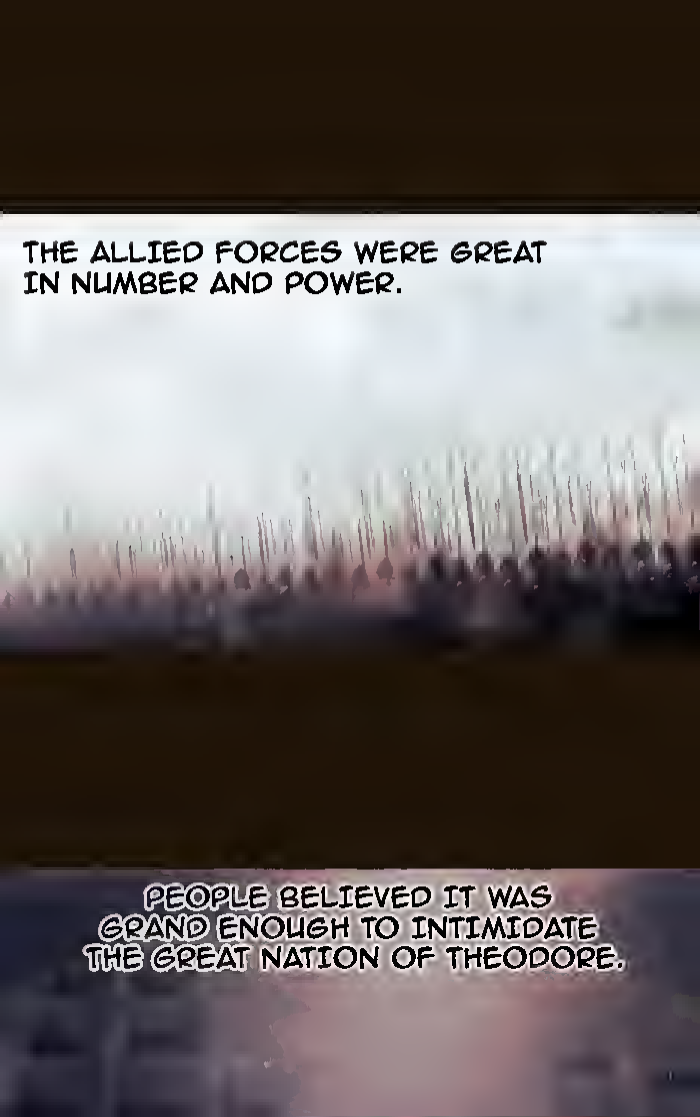
THE WAR HAS BEGUN.

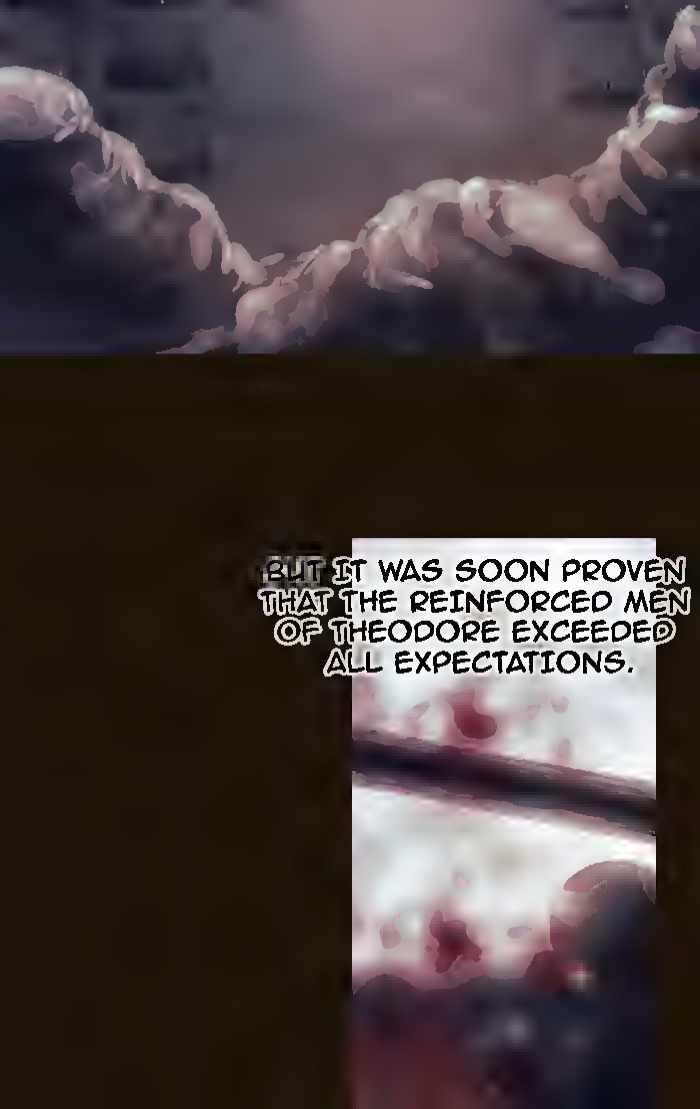


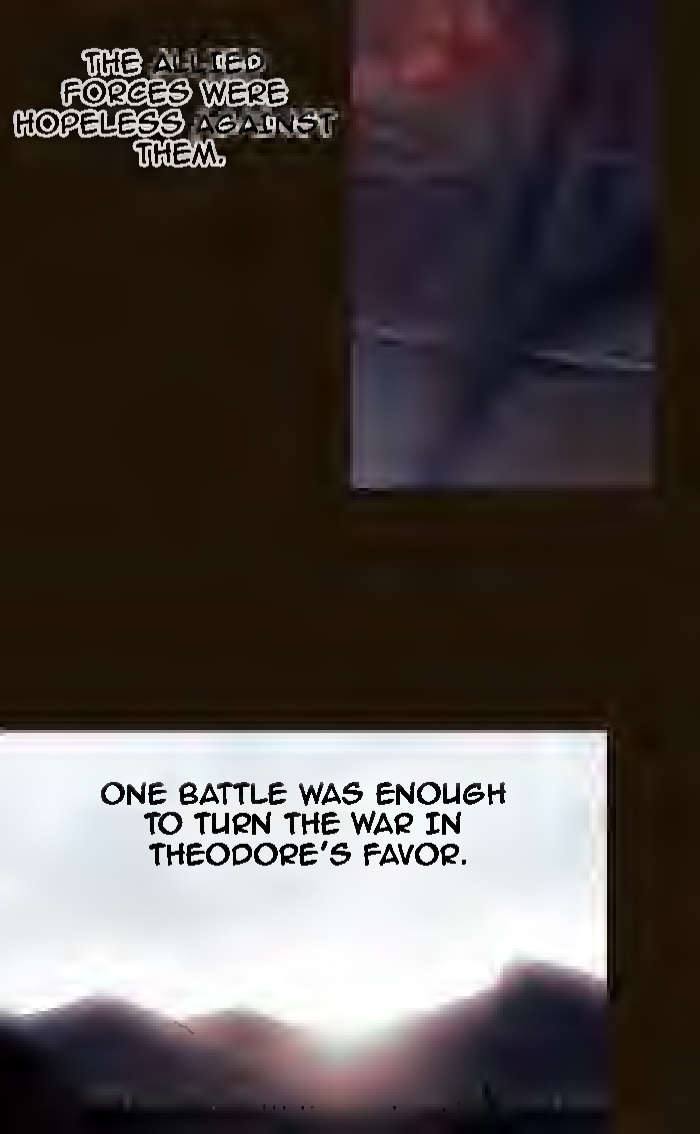

ZENUS WENT TO WAR AGAINST
VERSMAN BEFORE THE KINGDOM
COULD HEAL ITS WOUNDS.




ZENUS MADE HIS REINFORCED MEN LEAD THE TROOPS TO AN EASY WIN.
THREATENED BY IT, VERSMAN DECIDED TO JOIN FORCES WITH ARMAN AND MARCIA AGAINST THE GREAT NATION OF THEODORE.

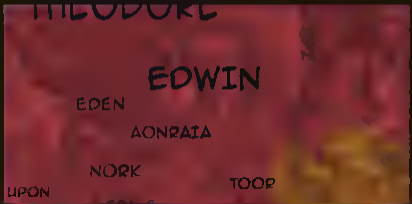

THE ALLIED FORCES WERE GREAT IN NUMBER AND POWER.
PEOPLE BELIEVED IT WAS GRAND ENOUGH TO INTIMIDATE THE GREAT NATION OF THEODORE.


BUT IT WAS SOON PROVEN THAT THE REINFORCED MEN OF THEODORE EXCEEDED ALL EXPECTATIONS.


THE ALLIED FORCES WERE HOPELESS AGAINST THEM.
ONE BATTLE WAS ENOUGH TO TURN THE WAR IN THEODORE'S FAVOR.

TIRED OF THE ONGOING WAR, SMALL CITIES ALONG THE BORDER AREA WILLINGLY SURRENDERED TO THEODORE AFTER THE BATTLE.

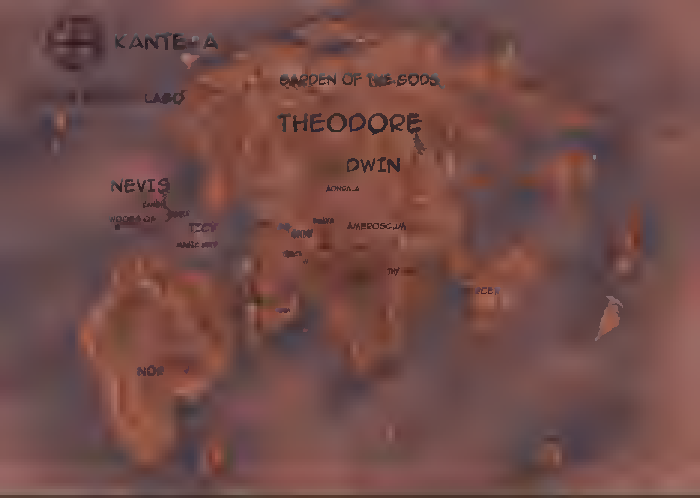
THEODORE UNITED THE CONTINENT WITHOUT MUCH DIFFICULTY.



AMBROSCU
PENVER
WOODS OF SAINTS
SERAON
MYSTY
JOMUND
KOHN
VERS
IN THE BEGINNING, IT WAS VERSMAN, BUT THAT FORCE DIDN'T STOP THERE.
SOON THEY REACHED MARCIA.
MARCIA

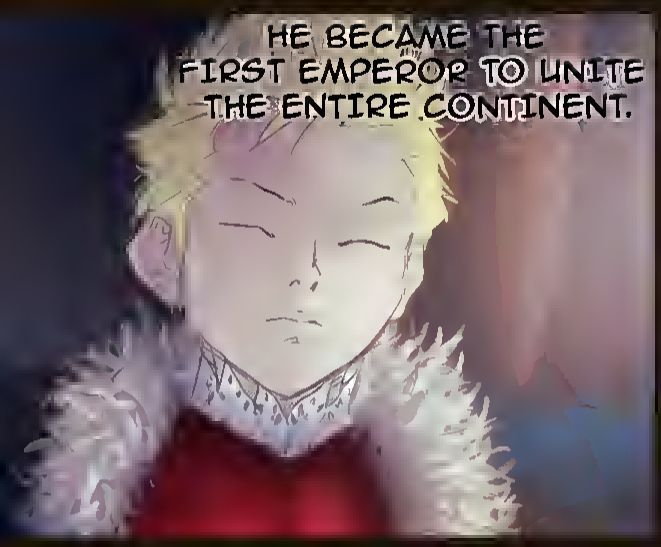
ARMAN RESISTED UNTIL THE END.
BUT THEODORE EVENTUALLY
CONQUERED THEM ALONG WITH
VERSMAN AND MARCIA.

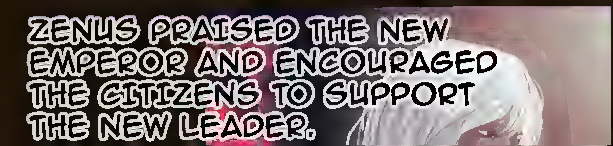
THE ENTIRE CONTINENT WAS FINALLY
UNITED UNDER THE NAME OF THEODORE.
IT TOOK 5 YEARS FROM
THE BEGINNING OF THE WAR.



KING EDWIN'S SON, RON CAME TO RULE THE UNITED THEODORE...

SSH


HE BECAME THE FIRST EMPEROR TO UNITE THE ENTIRE CONTINENT.

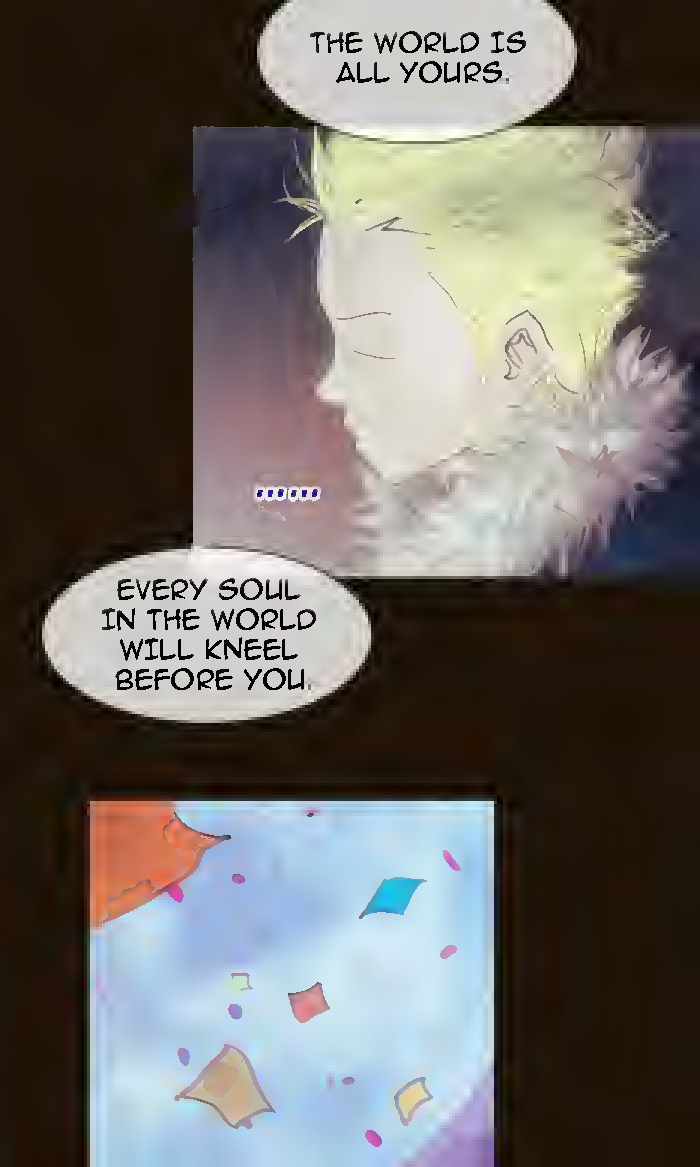

ZENUS PRAISED THE NEW EMPEROR AND ENCOURAGED THE CITIZENS TO SUPPORT THE NEW LEADER.

AND HE STEPPED BACK A LITTLE AND STARTED PULLING THE CONTINENT FROM BEHIND.

PRAISE THE EMPEROR, RON!!!
ROARRR
PRAISE THEODORE!!!
WHISTLE
ROARRR
PRAISE THE EMPEROR!!!
ROAR

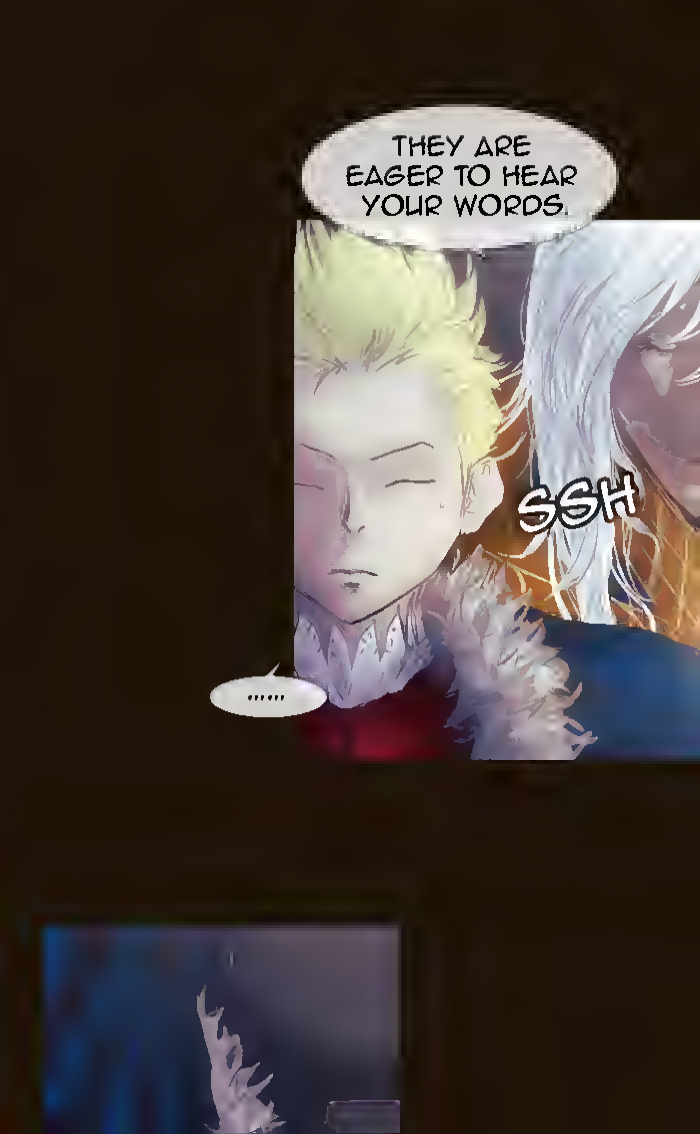
PRAISE THE EMPEROR, RON!!!

AH, SIR ZENUS!!!
WHAT DO YOU THINK, YOUR MAJESTY?


THE WORLD IS ALL YOURS.
.....
EVERY SOUL IN THE WORLD WILL KNEEL BEFORE YOU.

LOOK AT THEM CHEERING AND CHANTING YOUR NAME.
THEY ARE GATHERED HERE TODAY TO PRAISE YOUR WORK.

PRAISE THE EMPEROR, RON!!!
PRAISE THE EMPEROR!!!
IT'S TIME FOR YOU TO STEP UP


THEY ARE EAGER TO HEAR YOUR WORDS.
SSH
.....

STUMP
STUMP
GULP

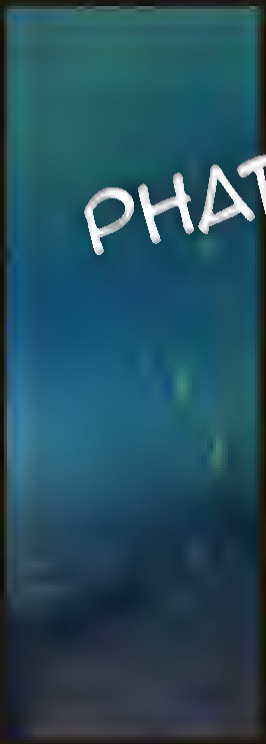
TADA

THIS WAS THE
BEGINNING OF THE NEW
AND UNIFIED CONTINENT.

MAGICIAN

3 YEARS
LATER...

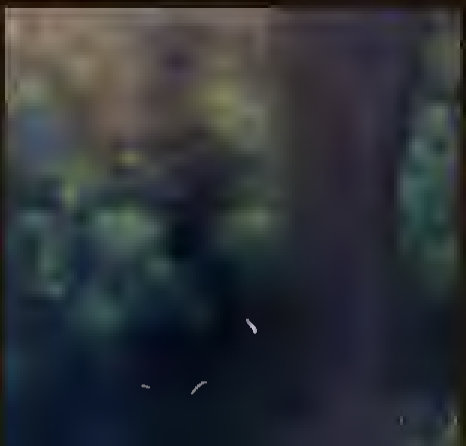
A FOREST NEAR GATE.


PHAT

RGH!!!
WHAT A MONSTER!!!
PHT!

SO MANY OF MY MEN...!!!
BUT, I'M NOT READY TO GET CAUGHT JUST YET!!!

KATA KATA

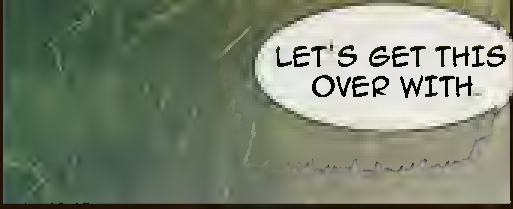


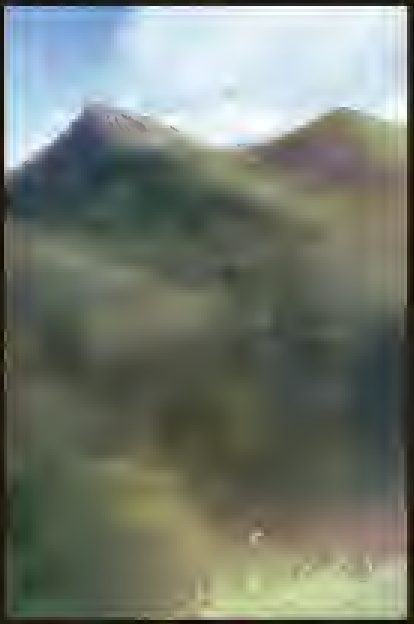
STEP

SMIRK

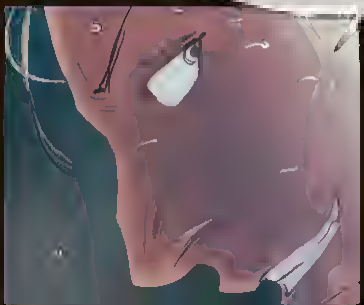
NO WONDER THESE MEN ARE NO GOOD. THEIR BOSS BOLTED OFF WITHOUT THEM.
YOU'RE OBVIOUSLY PATHETIC.
BUT...

SINCE YOU'RE WORTH 1,000 GUINEAS...


LET'S GET THIS OVER WITH.



HEH~
DID HE GIVE UP
AND LEAVE?



HEHEHEH
THANK GOD I RAN RIGHT AWAY.

WINCE

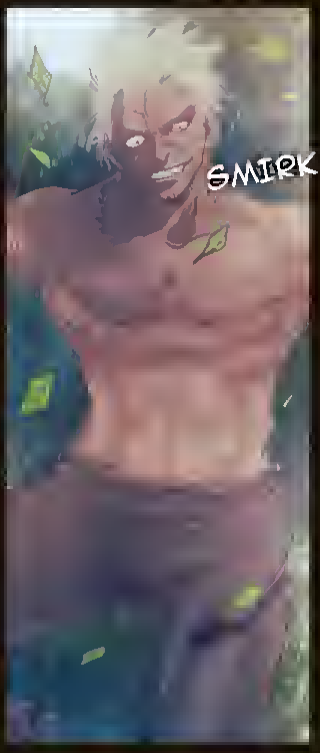
PHI,

OF COURSE YOU DIDN'T!!!
SWISH
RGH
SO FAST...!
BUT THIS IS MY HOME TURF.
GRIT
I'M NOT GONNA SIT AND WAIT FOR YOU TO COME TO ME.

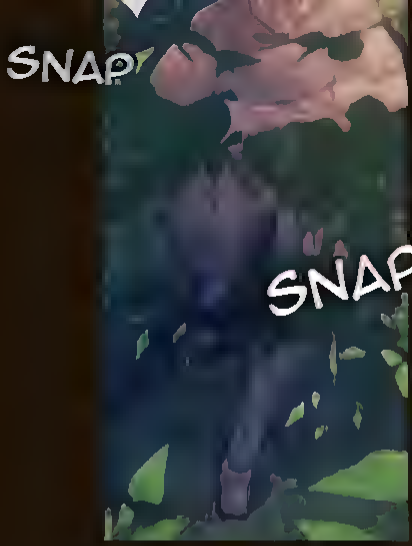
PHAT
KATA KATA
WHY DO YOU THINK I PICKED THIS PLACE?!
SWOOP

SWOOP
I'M GOING TO RUN TO THE END!!!

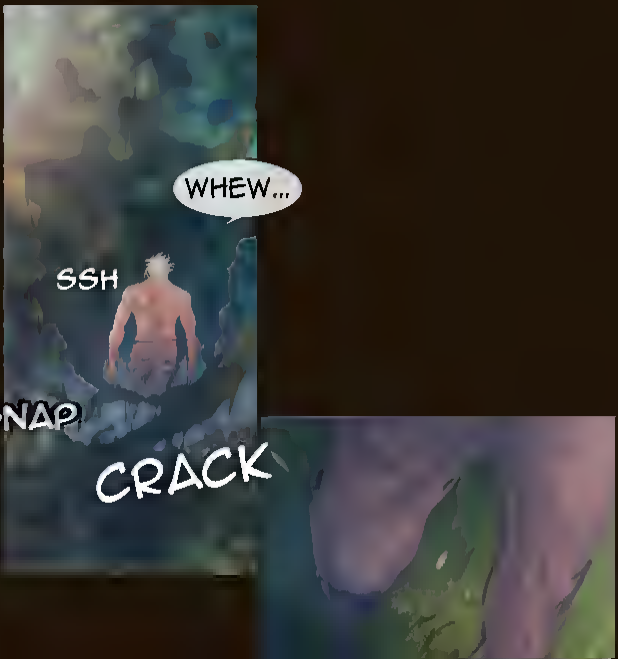
PHAT


SMIRK

RGH!!

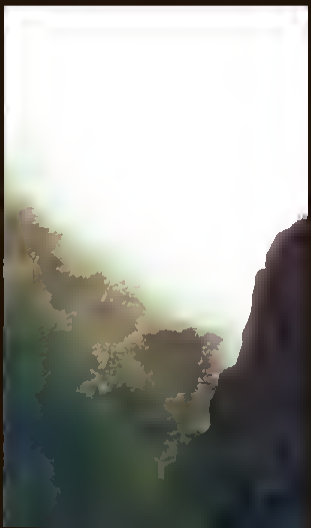

SNAP
SNAP

THUMP


WHEW...
SSH
SNAP
CRACK

WELL, CATCH ME IF YOU CAN, BOY.

IT'S NOT GOING TO BE EASY TO GET ME IN THIS FOREST.



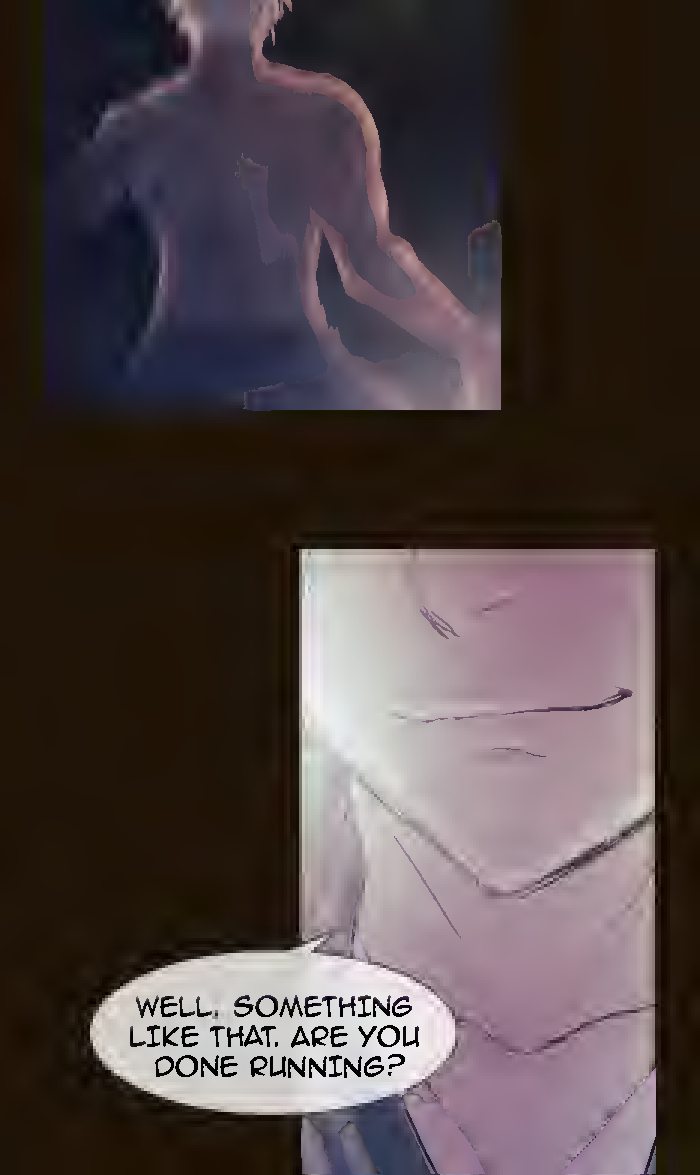
HUFF
HUFF
HUFF
HUFF

ARGH!
HUFF...
FLOP

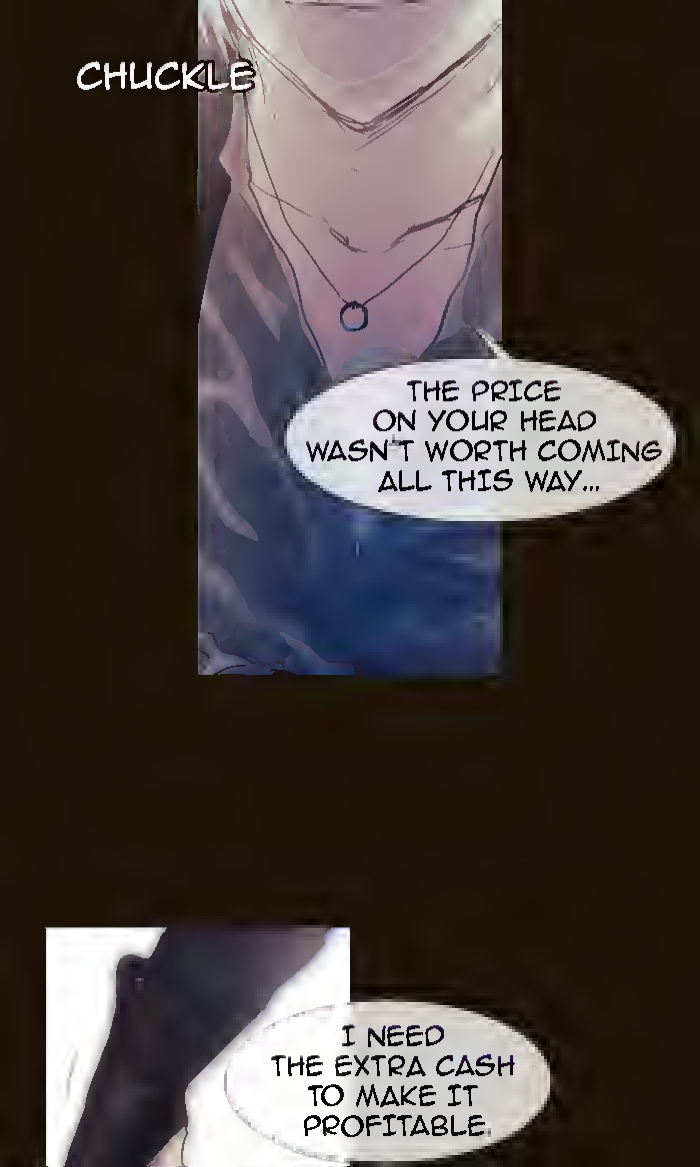
AHAHAHAHAHA.
HE WON'T BE ABLE TO
GET ALL THE WAY HERE.

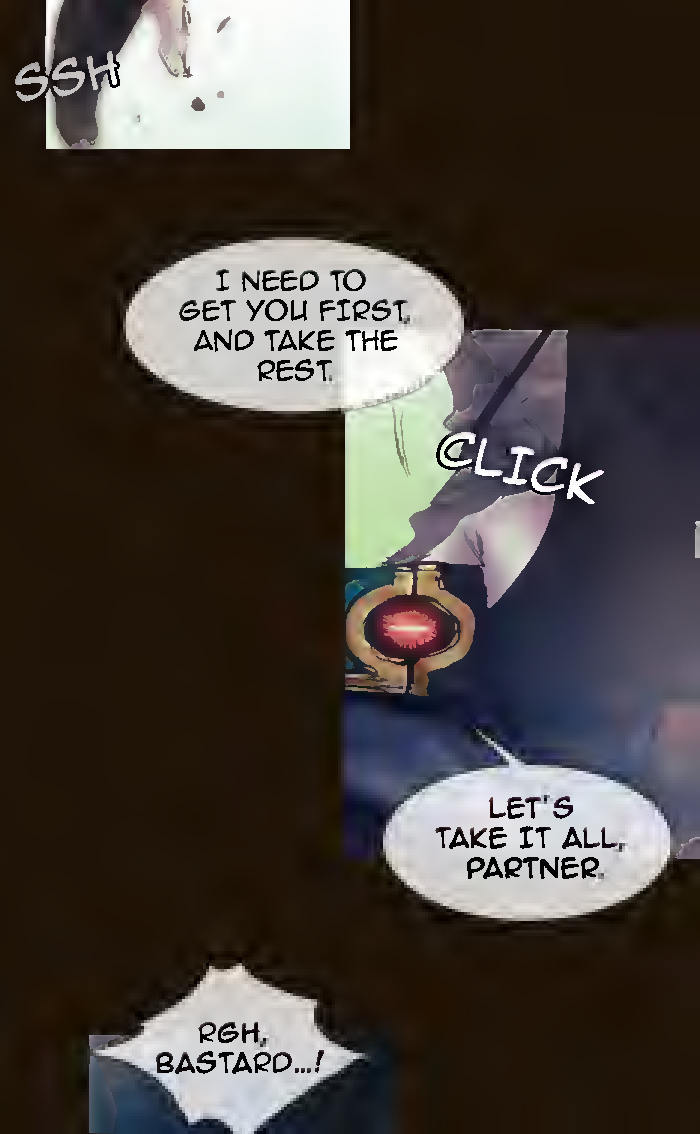
HAHA
HE'S PROBABLY PISSED OFF BY NOW. AHAHAHAHA
SSH
WELL, WITH THE MONEY I HAVE STASHED HERE...

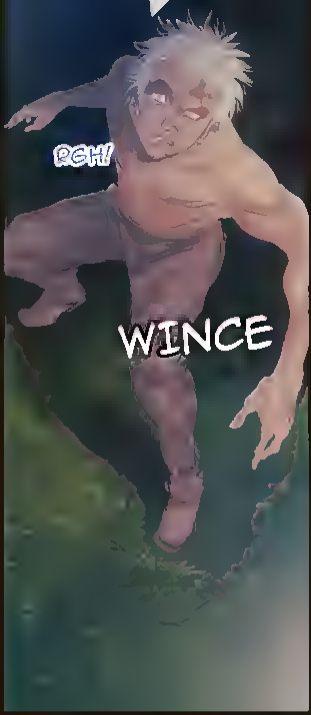
RGH, WHEN DID HE...?!!
PHAT
DAMN...!!!
YOU RAN THROUGH ALL THAT AFTER ME?!


WELL, SOMETHING LIKE THAT. ARE YOU DONE RUNNING?

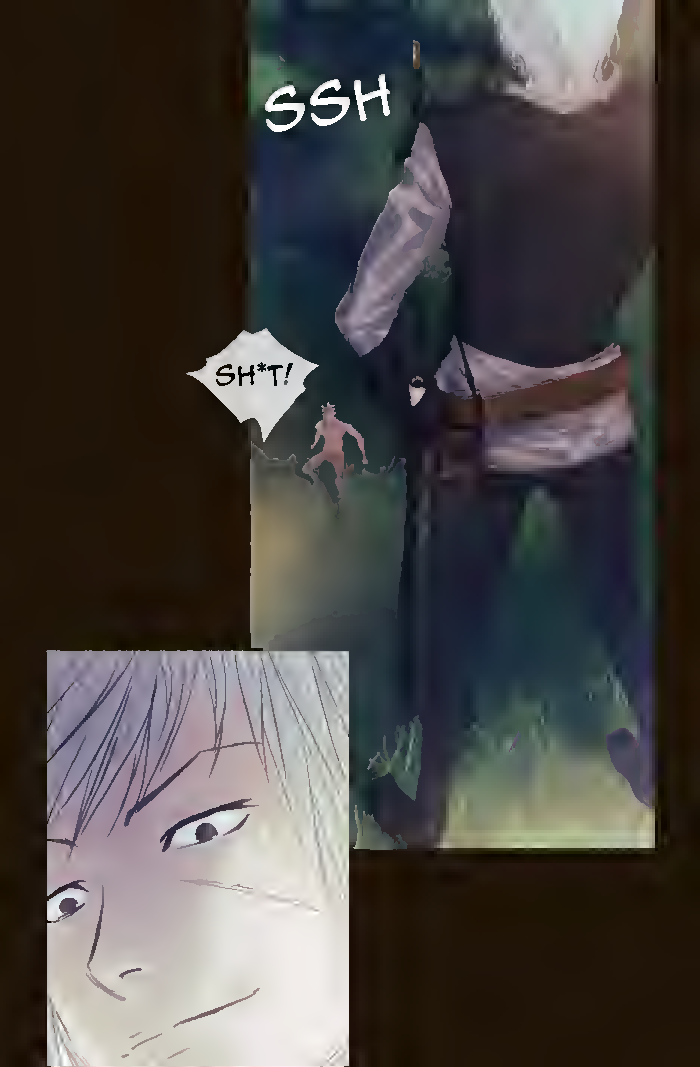
THAT CAVE BEHIND YOU MUST BE YOUR TREASURE HOUSE
WINCE
RGH, YOU CAME ALL THE WAY HERE FOR THAT...?!


CHUCKLE
THE PRICE ON YOUR HEAD WASN'T WORTH COMING ALL THIS WAY...
I NEED THE EXTRA CASH TO MAKE IT PROFITABLE.


SSH
I NEED TO GET YOU FIRST, AND TAKE THE REST.
CLICK
LET'S TAKE IT ALL, PARTNER.
RGH, BASTARD...!


RGH!
WINCE

WORTH 1,000 GUINEAS PLUS ALPHA...


SSH
SH*T!

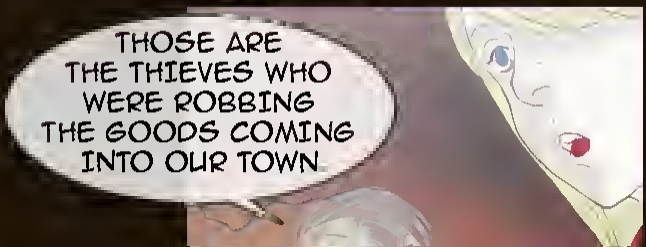
TO BE CONTINUED...

MAGICIAN

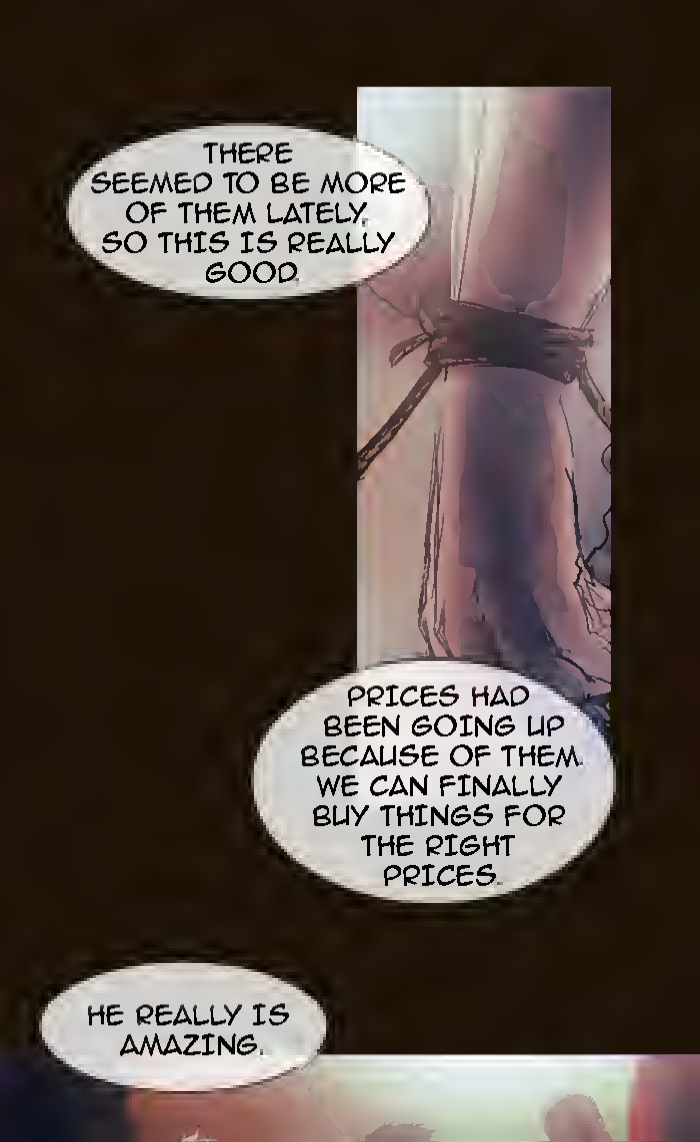
LINE Webtoon

GATE.

BUSTLE
BUSTLE


THOSE ARE THE THIEVES WHO WERE ROBBING THE GOODS COMING INTO OUR TOWN

OH, WOW.
WOW.
DID HE REALLY GET THEM ALL BY HIMSELF?
W.O.W.
WOW, AMAZING...


THERE SEEMED TO BE MORE OF THEM LATELY. SO THIS IS REALLY GOOD.
PRICES HAD BEEN GOING UP BECAUSE OF THEM. WE CAN FINALLY BUY THINGS FOR THE RIGHT PRICES.
HE REALLY IS AMAZING.

PLOD
PLOD
PLOD
HE REALLY IS THE BEST BOUNTY HUNTER AS THEY SAY.
IN SUCH A SHORT TIME, HE TOOK CARE OF ALL OUR PROBLEMS...
.....
RUMBLE
RUMBLE
NOW THERE'S ONLY ONE LEFT...
IT'S SUPPOSED TO BE TONIGHT, RIGHT?

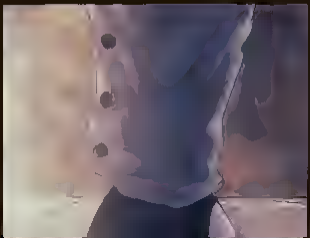
I CAN'T WAIT.

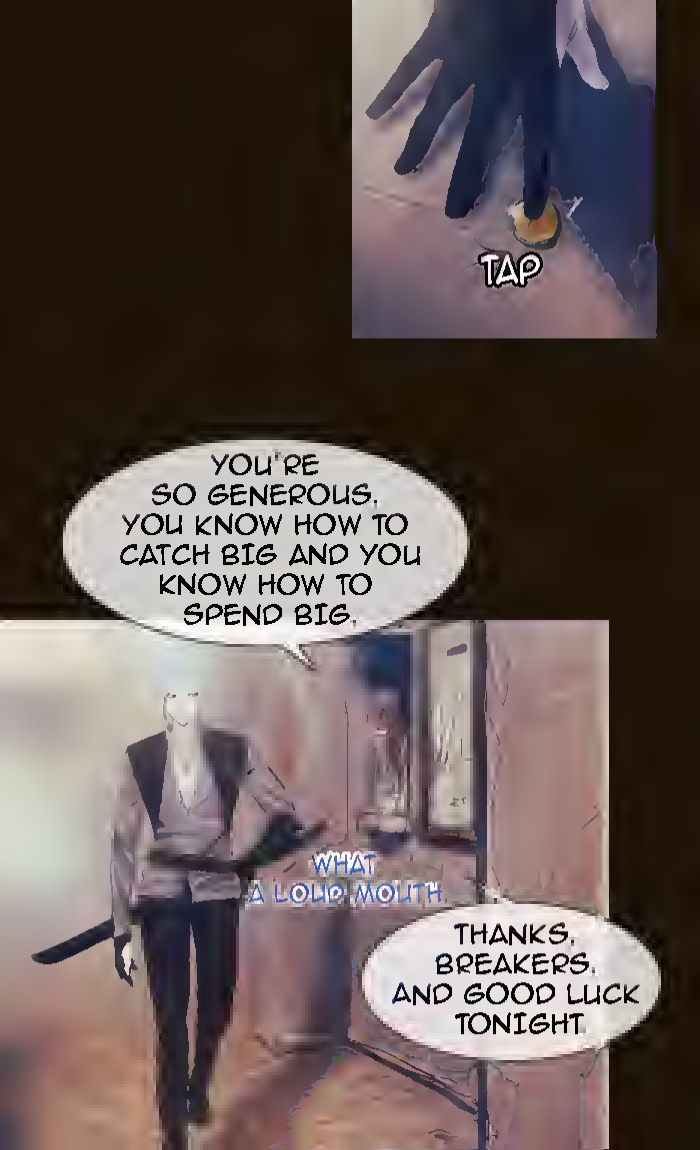
PART 2 EPISODE 01 - HIS REMAINS (02)

HERE YOU GO. YOUR REWARD FOR BRINGING THEM DOWN.
TAP

SO, YOU'RE THE BEST ALRIGHT.
GRIN
I WONDERED WHO WAS NEWLY RANKED THE TOP. YOU'RE BETTER THAN I EXPECTED.

CLINK
YOU'RE THE BEST FOR A REASON. YOU'VE GOT SKILLS.




TAP
YOU'RE SO GENEROUS. YOU KNOW HOW TO CATCH BIG AND YOU KNOW HOW TO SPEND BIG.
WHAT A LOUD MOUTH.
THANKS, BREAKERS. AND GOOD LUCK TONIGHT.

SEE YOU ALIVE TOMORROW MORNING!!!
"THANKS, BREAKERS." *GIGGLE*
AH...
WAS THAT THE BEST YOU COULD COME UP WITH?

IT'S SO EMBARRASSING. BREAKERS, PFFT.
GROAN~
WELL, I CAN'T USE MY REAL NAME.
SCRATCH SCRATCH

HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN STANDING THERE?
IREMY.
HAHA...

YOU WERE LATE, ENZ, SO I CAME TO PICK YOU UP.
YOU'RE NOT HERE TO PICK ME UP, YOU'RE HERE FOR THE MONEY.

WHAT? WHAT DO YOU TAKE ME FOR...?
HMM. YOU'RE BEING CHEEKY, BUT I'LL LET THIS ONE SLIDE. YOU DID MAKE MONEY FOR FOOD. IT'S YOUR LUCKY DAY.
SURE, SURE...
CLINK

WHERE IS METHEW?
HEH HEH ONE, TWO...
WELL, YOU TOOK TOO LONG, AND SHE GOT TIRED OF WAITING. SO SHE WENT TO THE RESTAURANT FIRST. SHE'S

PROBABLY EATING RIGHT NOW.
EIGHT, NINE...
HUH. THAT WASN'T NICE OF HER TO GO WITHOUT WAITING.
NOT NICE...? HAVE YOU KIND OF LOST IT LATELY?
RGH!
HMM...
YOU'VE GOTTEN SLOWER...

AND WHO DO YOU THINK IS TO BLAME HERE?!
PHAT
WINCE
YOU SPENT ALL OUR MONEY ON CLOTHES AND JEWELRY. THAT'S WHY I HAVE TO WORK SO MUCH!!

SWEAT
AHAHA. YOU THINK? OH, WELL...
DO YOU EVEN KNOW HOW MUCH WORK I HAD TO DO TO MAKE UP THE DIFFERENCE?!
YOU KNOW WHAT? I CAN'T LET YOU USE IT ALL UP AGAIN. GIVE IT BACK. I'LL KEEP IT SAFE.
WHAT? THAT'S NOT FAIR. THIS IS MINE.

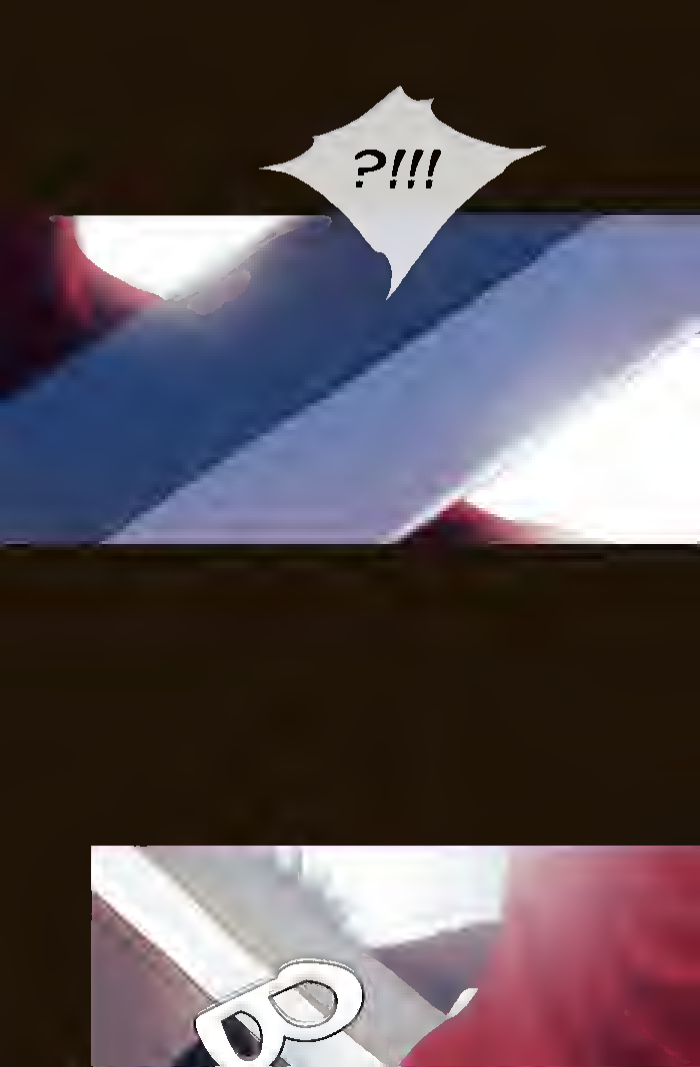
WHAT NOW? ANOTHER LOVERS' QUARREL?
YOU SHUT UP WITH THAT NONSENSE
PHT!
I DON'T TRUST YOU, SO GIVE IT BACK
LIFT

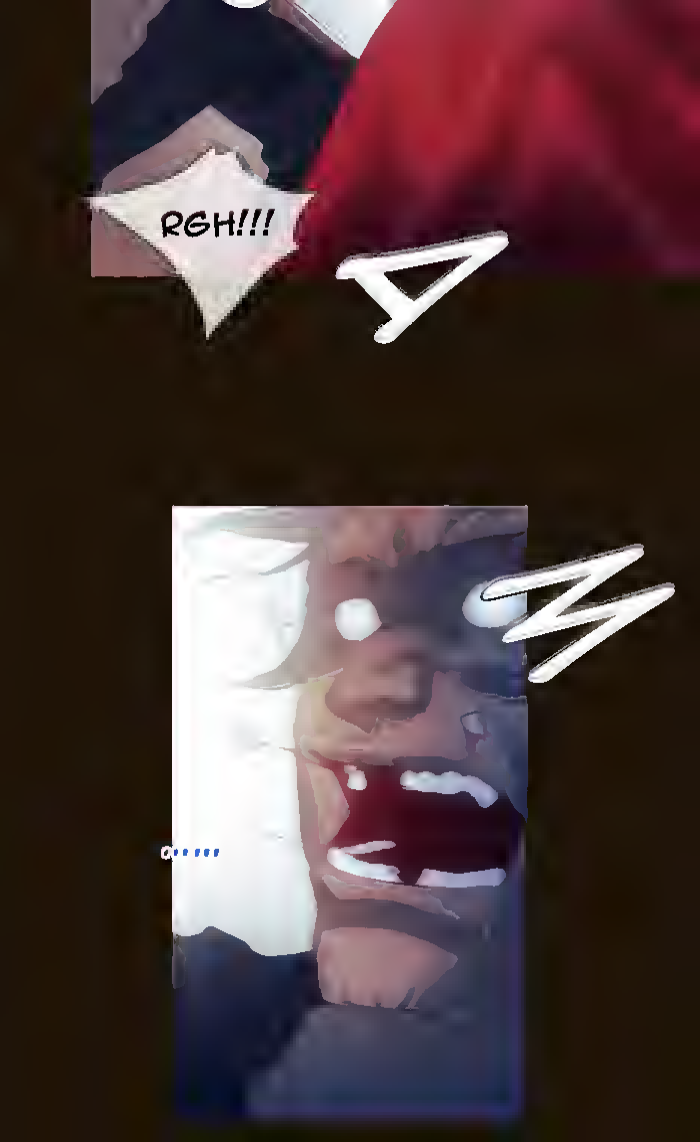
THAT'S JUST MEAN. YOU CAN'T GIVE IT TO ME AND TAKE IT BACK
TH, THIEF!!!
HEY, HEY!
RUSTLE
KATA KATA
RUSTLE
TAKE IT EASY, YOU TWO.
NO, NO. I'M NOT GIVING IT BACK!!!

SOMEBODY HELP, PLEASE!!!
HUH...?

HEH HEH!!!
KATA KATA
THAT A$$HOLE?!

I'M JUST AROUND THE CORNER FROM THE PLAZA!!!
ONCE I GET THERE...!
SSH




RGH!!!
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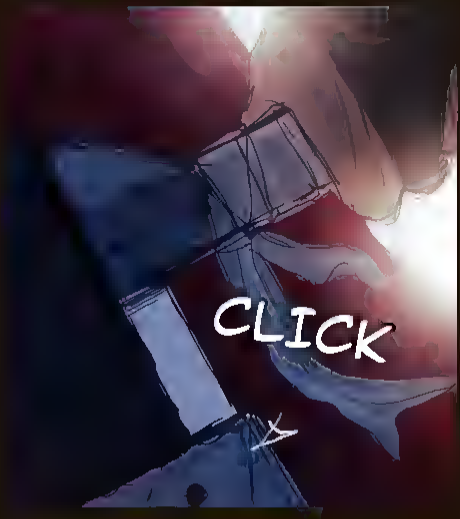
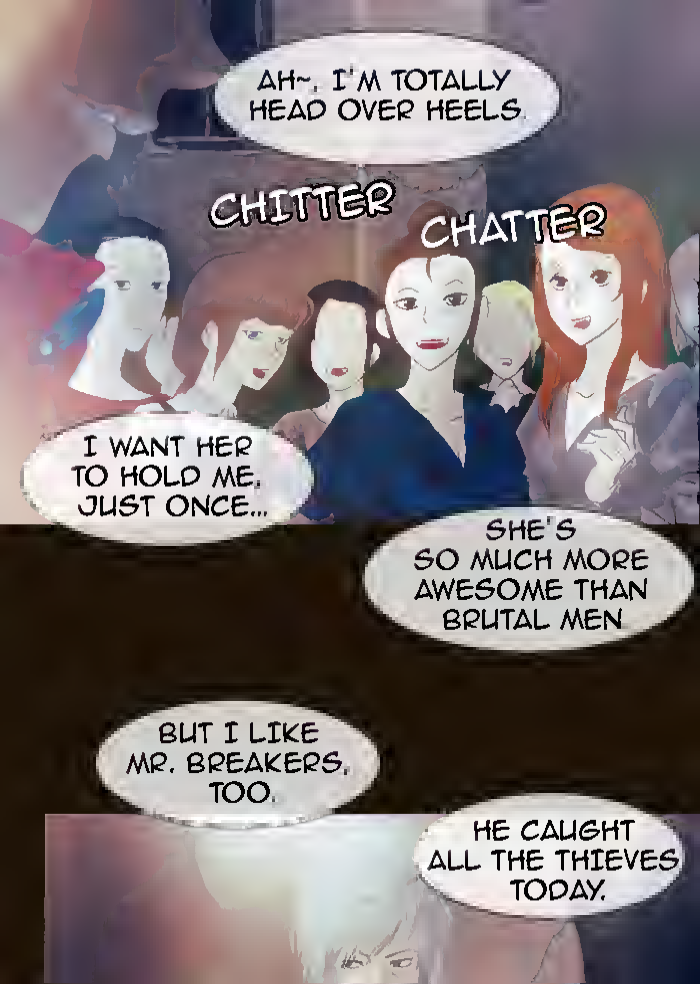
FLOP
UHHHH...

TAP
AH...


CLICK

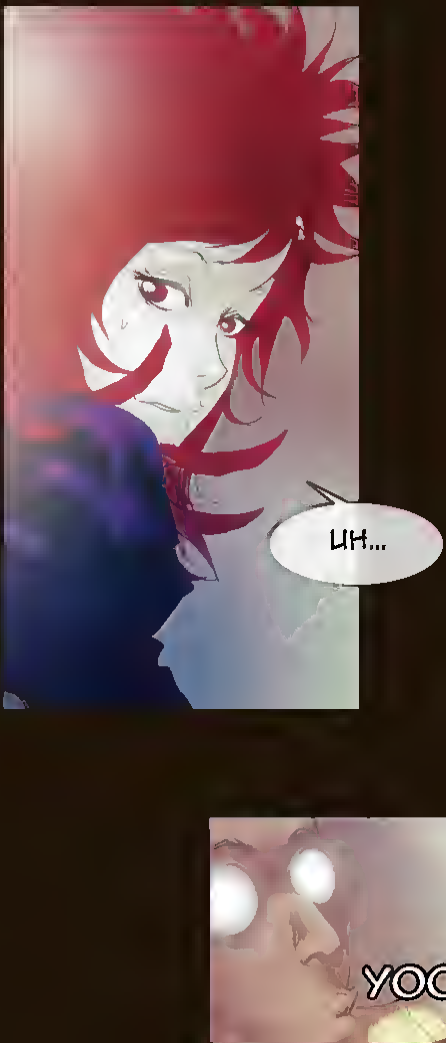
SIS.

BE CAREFUL NEXT TIME.
THANK YOU.
HEHEH.
I REALLY APPRECIATE IT.
AHHHHH... I JUST LOVE HER SMILE. SO HOT.


AH~, I'M TOTALLY HEAD OVER HEELS.
CHITTER
CHATTER
I WANT HER TO HOLD ME, JUST ONCE...
SHE'S SO MUCH MORE AWESOME THAN BRUTAL MEN
BUT I LIKE MR. BREAKERS, TOO.
HE CAUGHT ALL THE THIEVES TODAY.

WOW, LOOK AT THAT JAW LINE. WOW~.
AH, HIS SKIN LOOKS SO SMOOTH...
I THINK WE'VE STAYED HERE FOR TOO LONG.
SO MANY EYES ON US.
RUMBLE
RUMBLE
WOMEN ARE ALL OVER YOU.
I'M SURPRISED EVEN ENZ HAS FANS...
LET'S

GET OUT OF HERE BEFORE IT GETS MORE CROWDED...
SSH
HEY, WHO ARE THESE MUSCLE MANIACS...?
RGH!
RGH.
WINCE

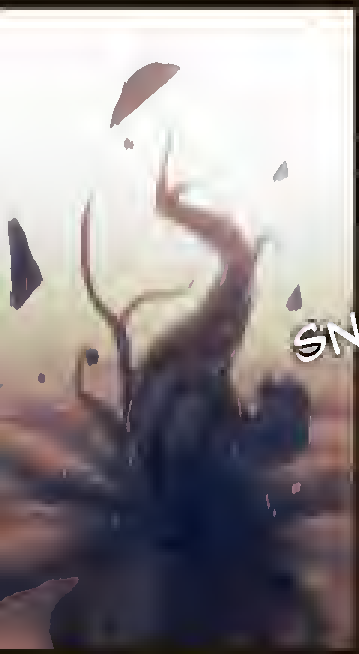

UH...
YOO HOO

.....
GULP

GRIN
SWEAT
SPARKLE

SPARKLE

TREMBLE

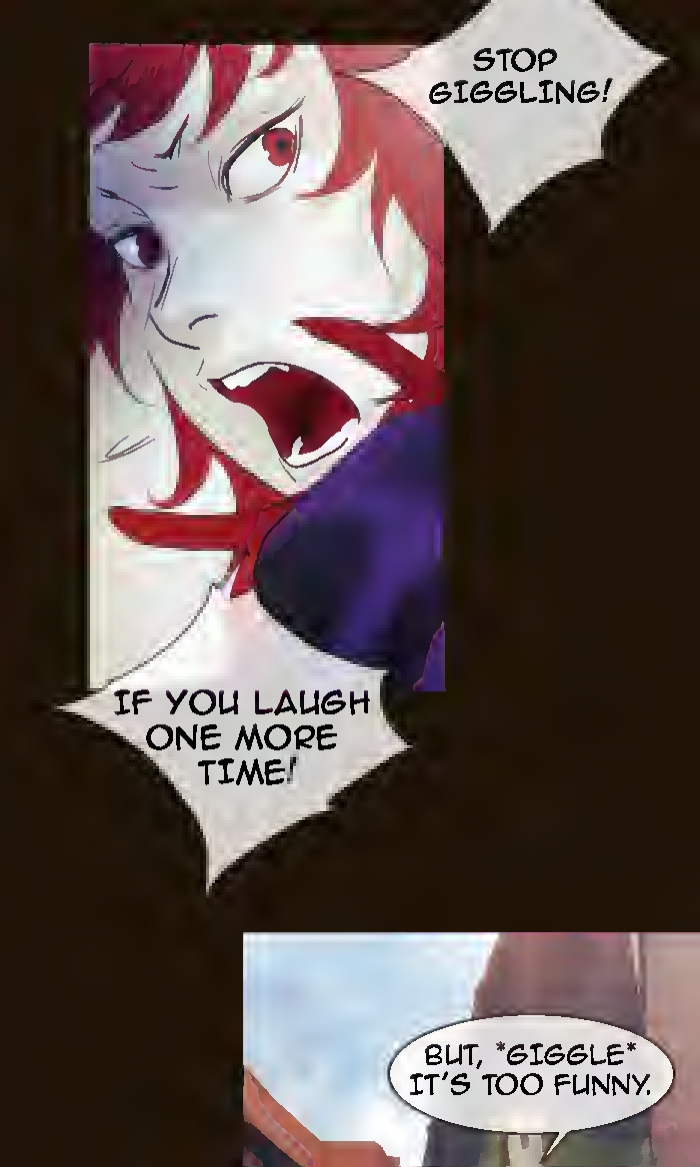

SNAP

SWOOP

WOW.
DANGLE
DANGLE
OH, WOW!!!

GIRRRL!!!
WE'VE BEEN WAITING!!!
FLEX
OOP!
FLEX
CLENCH
CLENCH

WE JUST LOVE YOUR MAGIC!!!
WHY DO I ONLY ATTRACT THOSE GUYS...
I LOVE YOU, GIRL.
HEHEH.
MARRY ME.
CLENCH
AUGH, WE'VE BEEN HERE FOR TOO LONG.


STOP GIGGLING!
IF YOU LAUGH ONE MORE TIME!
BUT, *GIGGLE* IT'S TOO FUNNY.

AHAHAHAHAHA.
STOP LAUGHING!
SO WHAT? THEY ARE HUGE, BUT CUTE.
ARE YOU SERIOUS, SIS?!

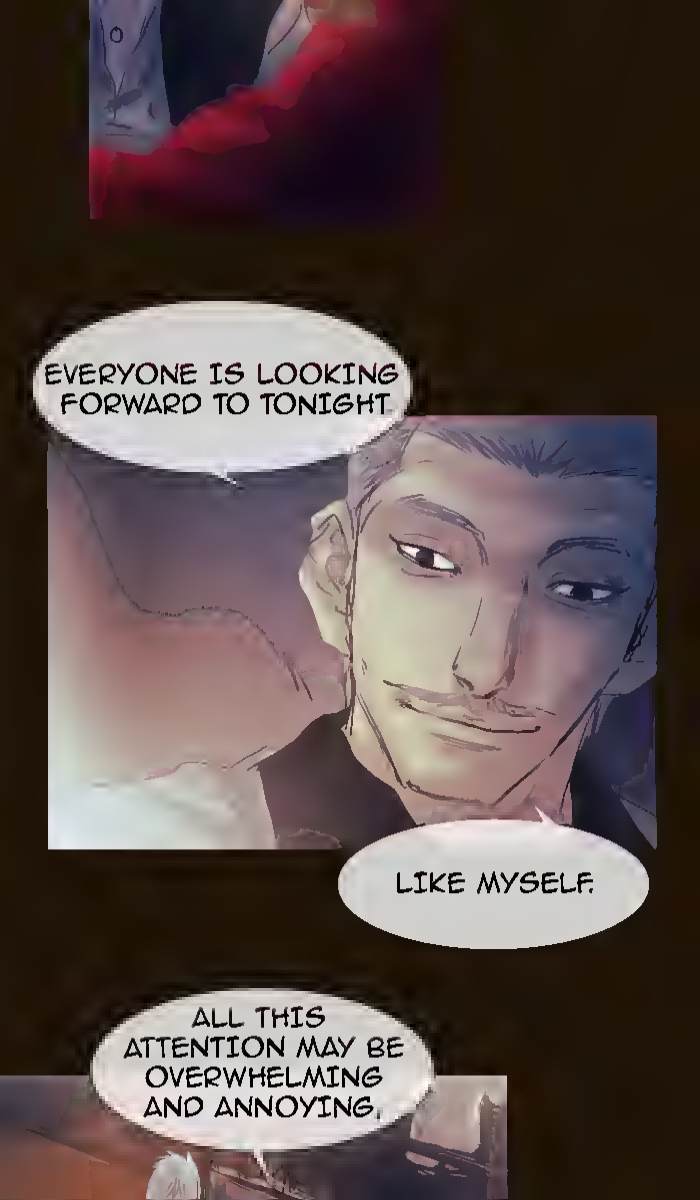
FUZZ
FUZZ

TAP

AHAHA, ARE YOU OKAY NOW?
WHEW...
I TOLD YOU NOT TO TALK ABOUT IT!
GLARE

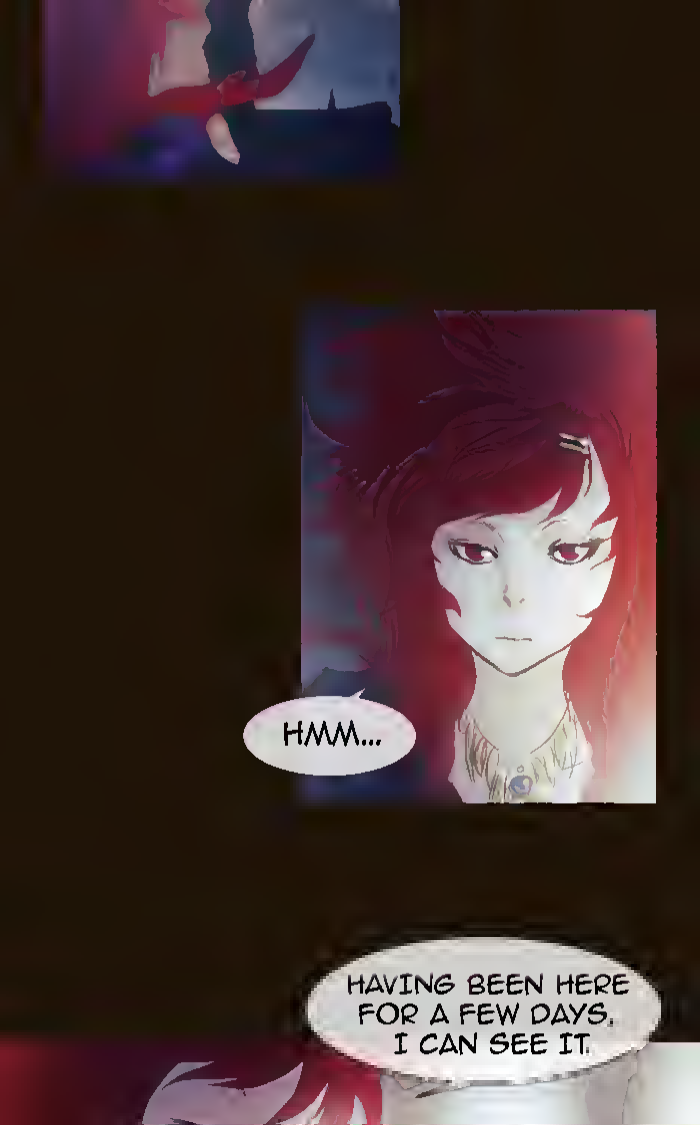
I DON'T EVEN WANT TO SEE A SMILE.
HAHAHA. SORRY, SORRY... I WON'T ANYMORE.
RUMBLE
RUMBLE

OH, IT'S THEM...
APPARENTLY, THEY DID IT AGAIN TODAY.
SO MAYBE THIS TIME...
.....
YOU'VE BECOME THE STARS OF THE TOWN IN JUST A FEW DAYS


EVERYONE IS LOOKING FORWARD TO TONIGHT.
LIKE MYSELF.
ALL THIS ATTENTION MAY BE OVERWHELMING AND ANNOYING.

BUT, PLEASE UNDERSTAND.
IT'S TOUGH FOR US AND WE NEED TO HAVE HOPE TO GO ON.
THIS ISN'T MUCH, BUT ON BEHALF OF THE PEOPLE OF THIS TOWN, IT'S ON ME.
SSH
OH, THANK YOU.
PLEASE, ENJOY.

WELL.
ROLL


HMM...
HAVING BEEN HERE FOR A FEW DAYS, I CAN SEE IT.

TAP
HOW MUCH THE PEOPLE HERE ARE SUFFERING...
CAN IT REALLY BE SIR ETHERMASK?

ARE YOU CRAZY? OF COURSE, IT'S A PHONY!!!
IF YOU LOOK AT WHAT'S HAPPENED, IT DOESN'T SEEM LIKE HIM.

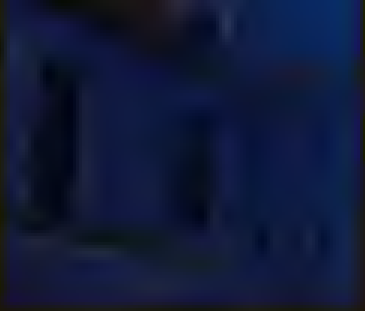
HE WOULDN'T DO THOSE THINGS EVEN IF HE WAS REALLY DESPERATE.
I'M TELLING YOU. THIS GUY IS A PHONY!!!

I JUST KNOW IT!!!
HOW DARE HE IMPERSONATE ETHERMASK?!
SLAM
I WILL NOT FORGIVE HIM!!!

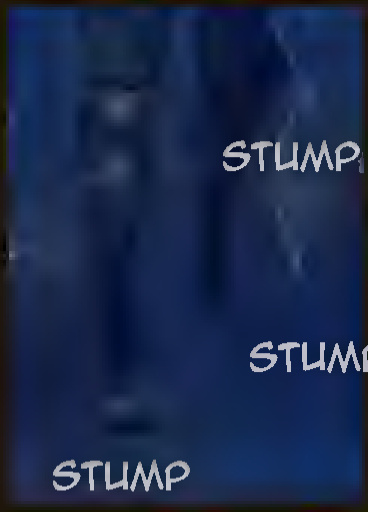
OOPS...
IREMY...
AHAHAHAHA...
I GOT CARRIED
AWAY.
EHEHEH.

IT JUST HAPPENS IF WE START TALKING ABOUT HIM...
I...I'M SORRY.
IT'S OKAY. GOOD LUCK TONIGHT.
YEAH, DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT.
PLEASE, CATCH HIM. WE TRUST YOU, BREAKERS.
PLEASE DO IT FOR US.

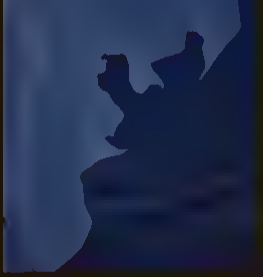
WHETHER HE'S REAL OR NOT...
WE'LL FIND OUT TONIGHT.
UNTIL THEN, LET'S KICK BACK AND WAIT.



SSH


STUMP
STUMP
STUMP

FLAP



SHOOSH

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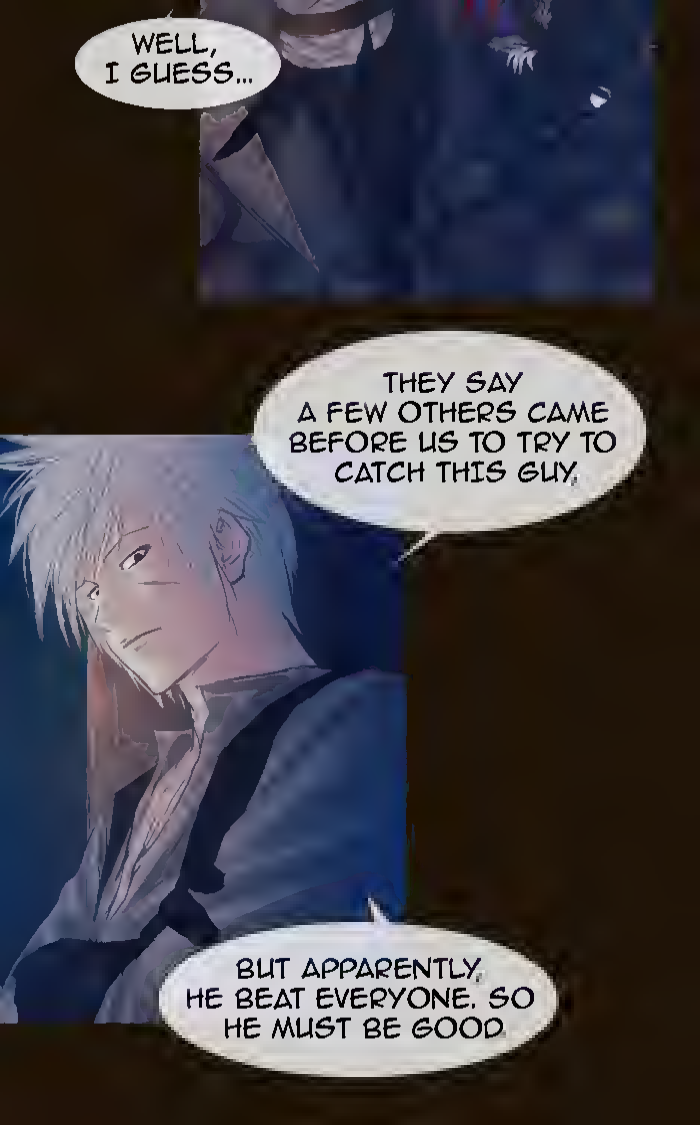
SSH
WHAT, NOT YET?
THEY SAY HE'S ALWAYS ON TIME, SO HE SHOULD BE HERE ANY MINUTE.
ALL THIS FOR MONEY... IT'S STRANGE.

CRACK
I FEEL LIKE WE'VE BEEN HERE FOR A WHILE...
WHEW...
I'M TIRED OF WAITING.
WHETHER OR NOT HE'S REAL, THIS GUY MUST BE GOOD SINCE HE'S STILL ON THE LOOSE


WELL, I GUESS...
THEY SAY A FEW OTHERS CAME BEFORE US TO TRY TO CATCH THIS GUY.
BUT APPARENTLY, HE BEAT EVERYONE. SO HE MUST BE GOOD

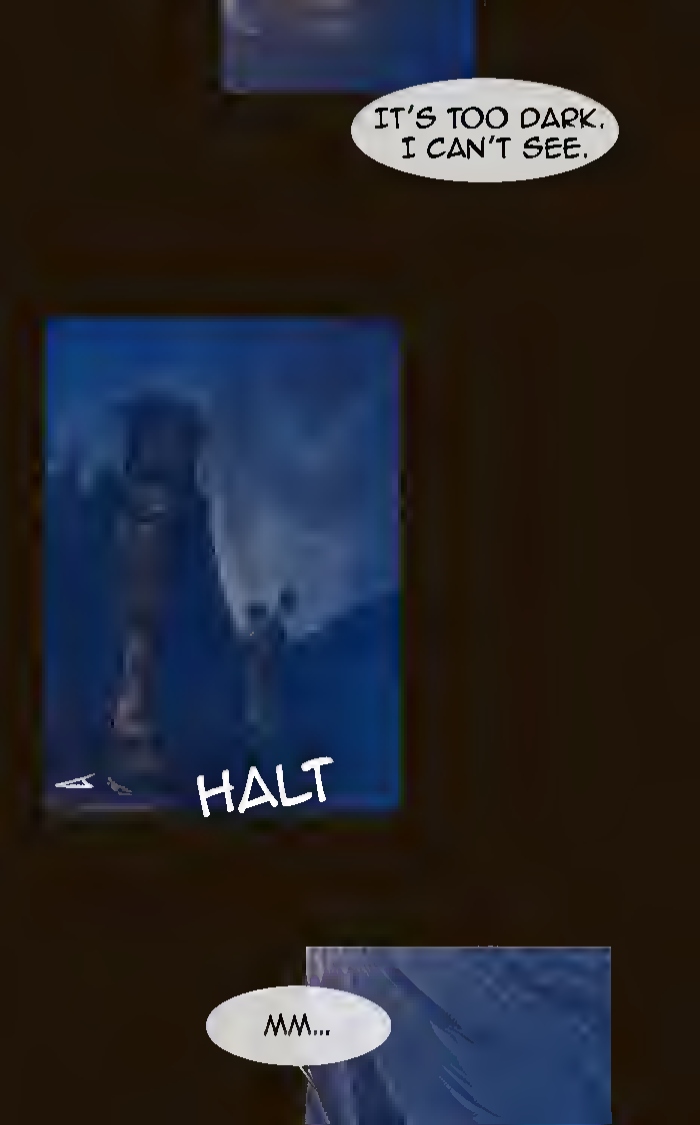
AND HE'S DARING ENOUGH TO COME BACK EVERY MONTH AND DEMAND MONEY FROM THE PEOPLE...
HMM...
SO HE CERTAINLY IS SURE OF HIMSELF.
THIS GUY TRAVELS ALONE. WE'RE NOT GOING TO LET SOME THIEF BEAT US.

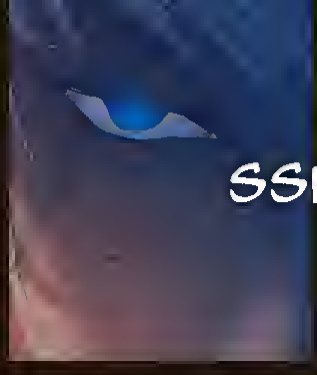
RIGHT?
OF COURSE, SIS.
GRIN
HA HA HA
AND WE'LL END THIS IMPERSONATION ONCE AND FOR ALL.
HUSH, SOMEONE JUST WALKED INTO THE PLAZA

STUMP
STUMP
THAT MUST BE HIM.
HMM...
SSH
WHERE, WHERE?

PEEK
HE SEEMS SURPRISINGLY CONFIDENT. IS THAT NATURAL?
STUMP
STUMP
OH~, HE SEEMS CHARISMATIC.
HE SEEMS TO BE PRETTY GOOD...

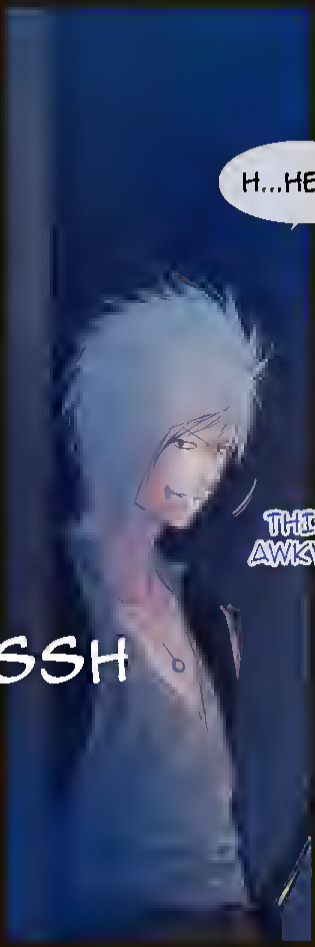
AND HE DOES LOOK LIKE ETHERMASK FROM HERE.
I WANT TO SEE HIS FACE...


IT'S TOO DARK. I CAN'T SEE.
HALT
MM...


SSH

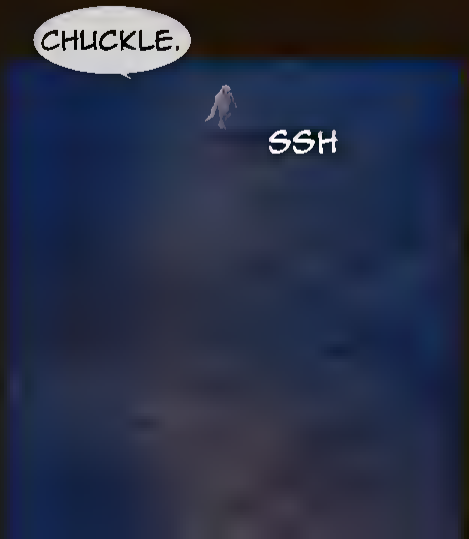
THEY BROKE
THEIR PROMISE

RGH!
HE KNOWS.
HE'S GOOD!


H...HEY...
THIS IS AWKWARD...
SSH

PHT, DID THEY GET BOUNTY HUNTERS AGAIN?
THEY DON'T GET IT, DO THEY?
HEH, DON'T BE SO HARD ON THEM.
SCRATCH SCRATCH
SSH
IT WAS HARD FOR US TO SIT AND WAIT.

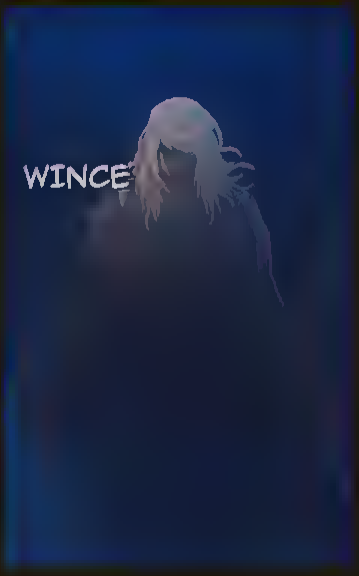
HAVEN'T YOU HEARD THE RUMORS?
WE HAVE.
THAT'S WHY WE'RE HERE. TO SEE FOR OURSELVES.

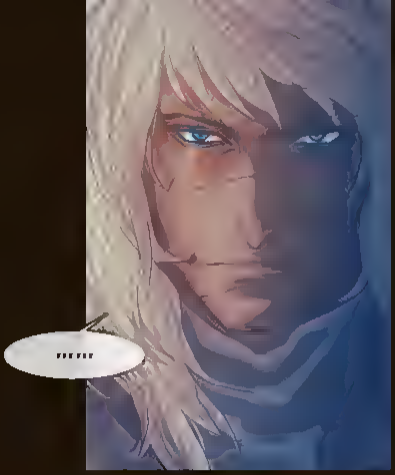

CHUCKLE.
SSH

?!
SSH
YOU JUST DON'T KNOW WHEN TO GET NERVOUS, HUH?
SMIRK
UH... HE LOOKS QUITE A LOT LIKE HIM IS THIS WHAT ETHERMASK WOULD LOOK LIKE IF HE GOT OLDER?

WINCE
LIKE WE EXPECTED...
CHUCKLE.
OF COURSE...

HE IS A FAKE.
I WAS STUNNED FOR A MINUTE, THOUGH.

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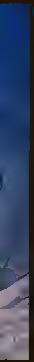
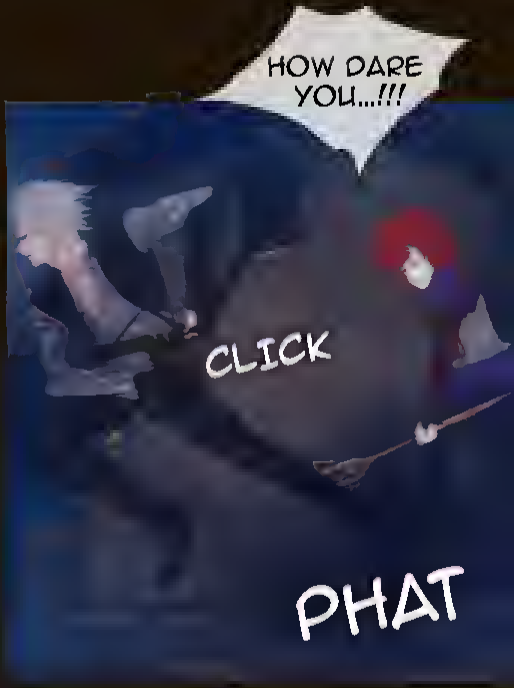
SMIRK



PHAT


HOW DARE YOU...!!!
CLICK
PHAT

ENZ?!

?!
KATA KATA
I GOT THIS!!!
CHANG

CAN YOU MOVE AS FAST AS I CAN?
ENZ, DON'T BE TOO SURE OF YOURSELF.
HAHA!
I KNOW.

BUT HE'S TREATING ME LIKE I'M A JOKE.
PHAT
COMING AT A SWORDSMAN USING MAGIC...
HE THINKS I'M NOT GOOD ENOUGH. HE IS TRYING TO GET CLOSE ENOUGH TO GET ME WITH A SINGLE BLOW.
BAM
BAM

HE'S GOT NERVE!
IF THAT'S THE CASE, I REALLY CAN'T STEP BACK NOW.
I NEED TO BEAT HIM TO IT!

SWOOP

CHANG

SWOOP
WINCE

HUH?
I WAS SURE
I GOT AWAY...

PHIT
RGH!
WAS I JUST MISTAKEN?
OOP

SWO
FZZT
SSH

RUMBLE
RGH!

OOP!!!
PHAT

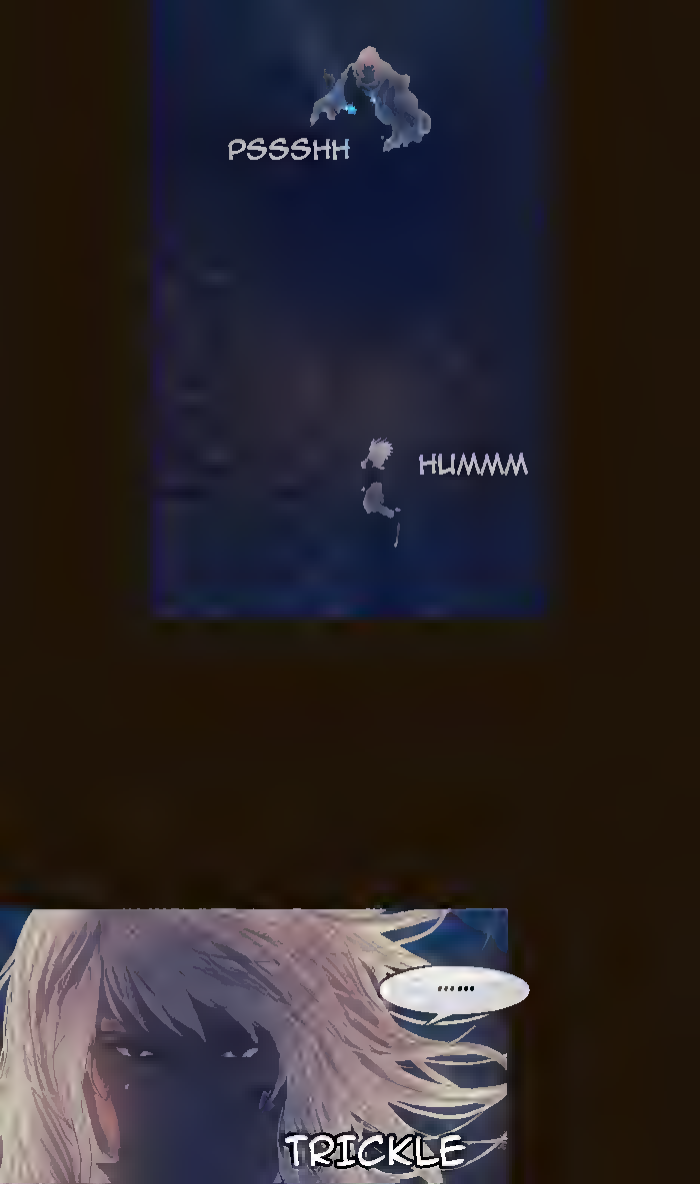
PHT!!!
FZZT

NK

OOMS

CHA

RGH!
RUMBLE


PSSSHH
HUMMM
.....
TRICKLE

HE'S A FAKE, BUT
HIS SKILLS ARE
NOT!

HE CAN ACTUALLY
KEEP UP WITH ENZ'S
SPEED

I THINK HE'S THE BEST FAKE WE'VE SEEN!
HE REALLY IS. BUT WHY DOES HE DO THIS WHEN HE'S SO GOOD...?
BY THE WAY, ENZ HAS MATURED A LOT. HE USED TO BE PASSIVE, BUT NOW HE'S NOT AFRAID TO GO FORWARD!
UH-HUH.

SHE SHOULD GET IT BY NOW... PERHAPS I SHOULD JUST TELL HER.
HAHA!
I FEEL SORRY FOR ENZ! WELL, IT IS FUN FOR ME TO WATCH, THOUGH...

THEY NEED SOMETHING TO PUSH THEIR RELATIONSHIP TO THE NEXT LEVEL!
THEY'VE BEEN TOO COMFORTABLE WITH EACH OTHER AND THAT'S NOT HELPING ENZ, I GUESS?

SSH
GEEZ...
YOU CAN DO ALL THAT, YET YOU'RE WILLING TO...
TAP

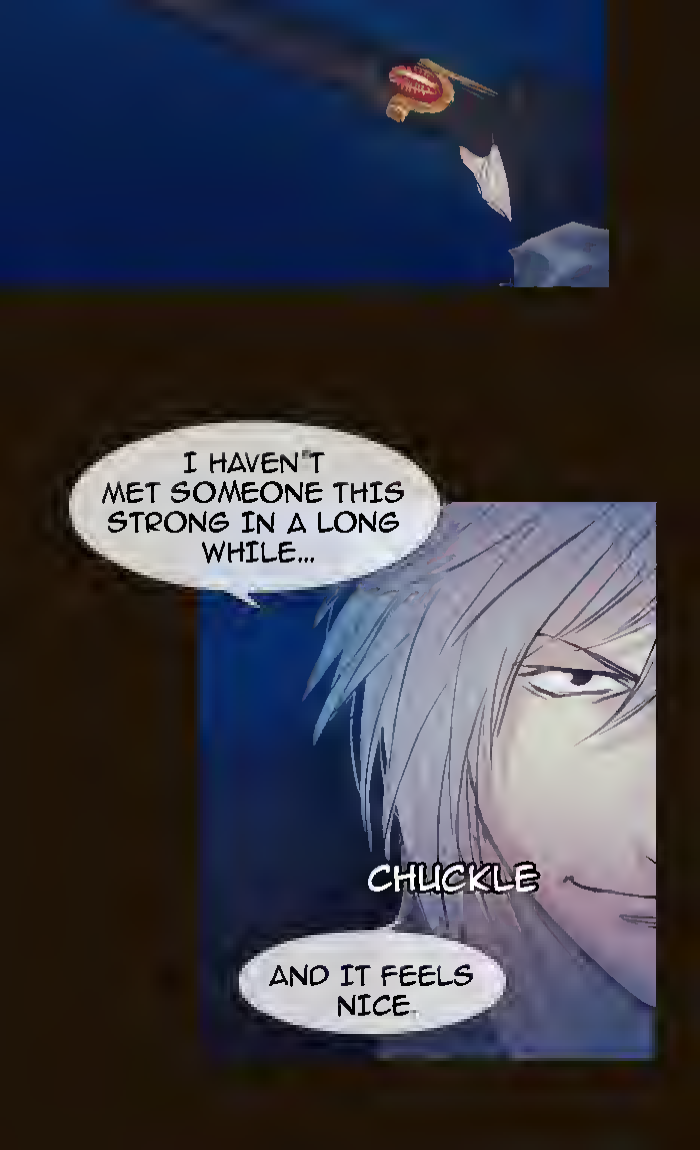
IMPERSONATE ETHERMASK AND ROB THE TOWN?
DON'T YOU THINK YOU'RE TOO GOOD FOR THAT?
.....
IT CAN'T JUST BE FOR THE MONEY.
YOU'RE VERY SURE OF YOURSELF FOR SOMEONE SO YOUNG...

CHUCKLE
I GUESS I'VE GOTTEN SOFT.
IN THIS TROUBLED TIME, EVERYONE'S GOT THEIR OWN BAGGAGE.
SSH
TALKING ABOUT IT ONLY MAKES US MORE PATHETIC.
BUT I MUST SAY IT'S REFRESHING TO FIGHT WITH SOMEONE GOOD.

FZZT
THE GUYS I HAD TO FIGHT BEFORE WERE NO GOOD AT ALL.
YEAH, I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR THIS. ALWAYS...
000 000

MAKING MY HEART BEAT... THE FEELING OF BLOOD PUMPING.
THIS FEELING...
SMIRK
HMM... I SEE WHAT YOU MEAN.

WELL, BRING IT ON.
VOOSH
WOOSH
HUMMM


I HAVEN'T MET SOMEONE THIS STRONG IN A LONG WHILE...
CHUCKLE
AND IT FEELS NICE

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FLASH
KATA KATA

PHAT

FZIT

SH

WOO
PHAT
INCREDIBLE. THE MORE I FIGHT HIM, THE MORE IT BECOMES OBVIOUS.
FLAP
FLAP
RGH!

HE'S FIERCE. HE'S SO SHARP, YET IT DOESN'T EVEN COST HIM A DROP OF SWEAT...
CHANG
SLA

RGH!
AGAIN... I'M SURE I DODGED IT THIS TIME.
THIS DOESN'T MAKE ANY SENSE...!!!

FLA
CHANG

SLIDE

KATA

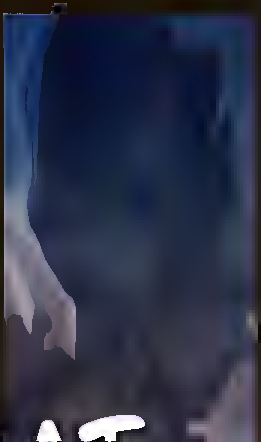
SWOOP
PHAT
RUMBLE
CHANG
CRACK
OH, MY..
!
.....

THEY BECAME SO SERIOUS ABOUT THIS FIGHT, SO WE CAN'T EVEN STEP IN. WHAT DO YOU THINK?
THUD
CRACK
CRACK
WELL, MM...
ALTHOUGH THAT FAKE IS GOOD IT LOOKS LIKE ENZ IS TRYING TO TAKE HIM DOWN ON HIS OWN 'CAUSE HE CAN OVERPOWER HIM...

GRIT
I GUESS WE SHOULD LET ENZ HANDLE IT.
SWOOP

PHIT
VOOSH
WINCE
RGH!

SWOOP



PHAT
WOOSH

?!!!
SLASH
RGH!
AGAIN?!
IS THIS GUY...?
TRICKLE

RGH...!
RGH,
THE BLOOD!!!
FLAP
RUMBLE

I'VE MADE A MISTAKE...
SSH
NOW I SEE THAT HE INTENTIONALLY WENT FOR MY EYES.
HUH?!

WHERE IS HE...?!

THAT'S ENOUGH.

HUMMM
RGH...
I STAYED OUT OF YOUR RANGE. HOW DID YOU DO THIS?
GULP

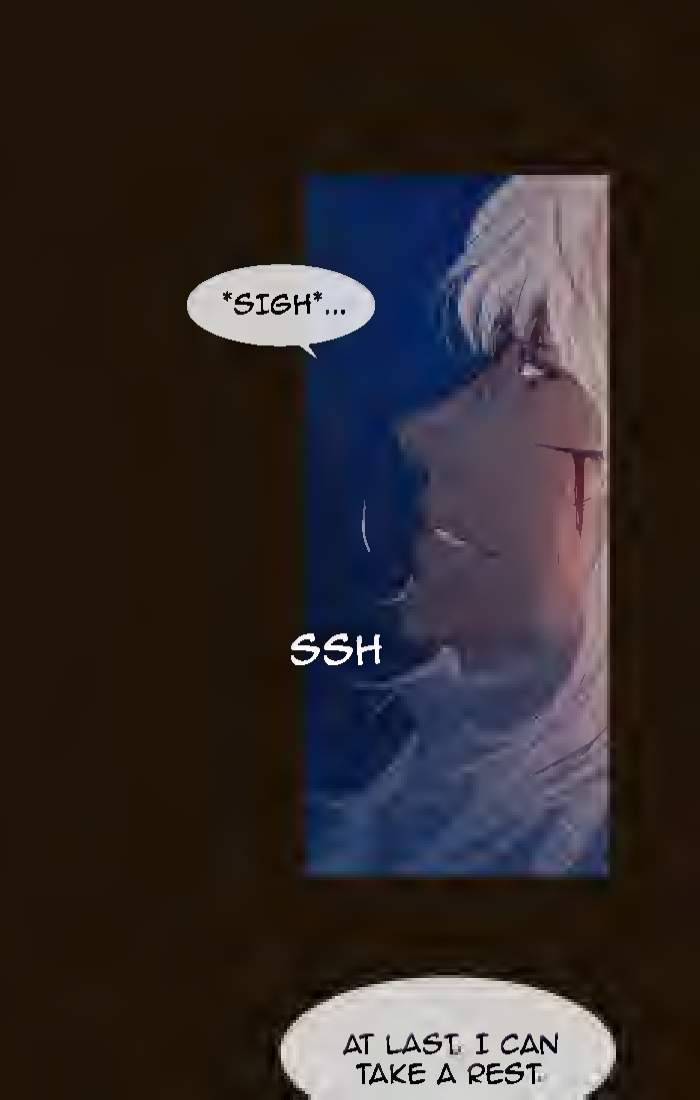
YOUR BLADE CAME ALL THE WAY TO WHERE I WAS AS IF IT STRETCHED... IS THIS SOME SORT OF TRICK?
WHEW...
WELL, SORT OF. YOU'RE GOOD TO NOTICE IT...

IT SHOULD BE HARD TO TELL SINCE IT'S NIGHT. IT WAS THAT SUBTLE.
SUBTLE... YOU WANTED TO CAPTURE ME ALIVE FROM THE BEGIN-NING, RIGHT ?
SSH
I COULD FEEL IT THAT I'M NO MATCH TO YOU. I JUST FOUND IT WEIRD THAT YOU'RE NOT FINISHING ME.

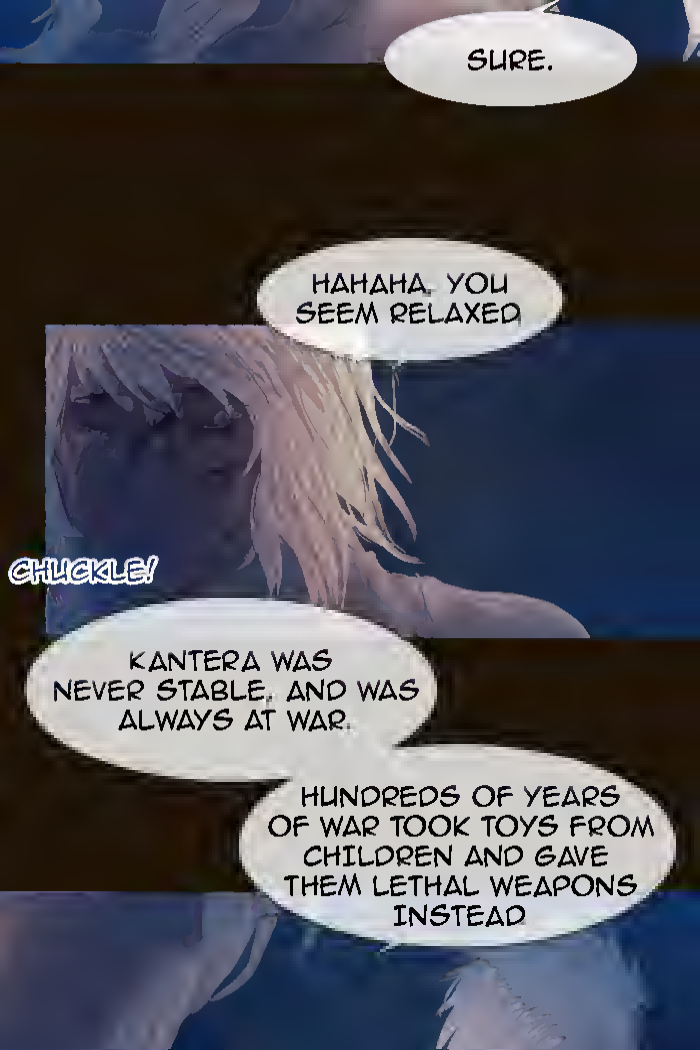
I CAN FEEL THAT I CAN'T WIN.
TAP
TAP
I'M GLAD THAT NOTHING BAD HAPPENED
ENZ IS CAPABLE OF FIGHTING AT THIS LEVEL.

HE'S PRETTY GOOD, THOUGH... IT'S A SHAME.

I DON'T KNOW WHAT MADE HIM DO THIS, BUT HE SHOULD DO SOMETHING BETTER WITH HIS TALENT.


SIGH...
SSH
AT LAST, I CAN TAKE A REST.

WHAT A RELIEF.
I FEEL RELIEVED...
YOU WANT ME TO TELL YOU SOMETHING?
SSH


SURE.
HAHAHA, YOU SEEM RELAXED
CHUCKLE!
KANTERA WAS NEVER STABLE, AND WAS ALWAYS AT WAR.
HUNDREDS OF YEARS OF WAR TOOK TOYS FROM CHILDREN AND GAVE THEM LETHAL WEAPONS INSTEAD

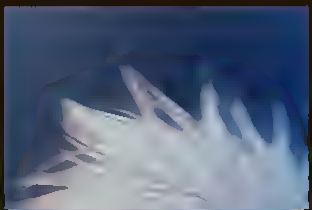
.....
BUT THE WAR ENDED ABRUPTLY WITH AS A NEW KIND OF WEAPONS WERE PRODUCED AND KIDS DIED
BECAUSE THAT'S HOW THEY WERE BORN... THIS NEW WORLD WAS...
...WAY TOO HARSH FOR THEM.
IT WAS NOT A SUCH WORLD WHERE THEY COULD LIVE. I MEAN, WHAT THE MAJORITY LIKES AND WANTS IS NOT NECESSARILY FAVORABLE FOR

EVERYONE.
SMIRK
WELL, THAT'S ABOUT IT.
IN OTHER WORDS, PEOPLE LIKE ME DON'T CHANGE!!!
RUMBLE

WINCE
T...THAT BASTARD... WATCH OUT!!!
RGH!

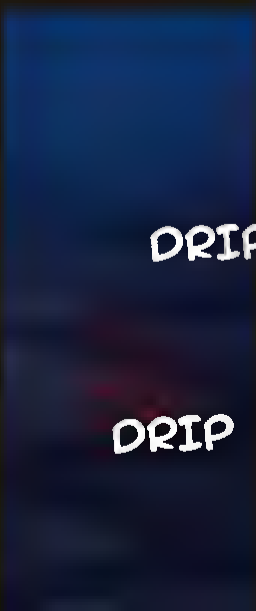
RGH...
ENZ!!!

WINCE



PHT!
SO, THAT WAS IT?!
CLANK

SWOOP
GAK!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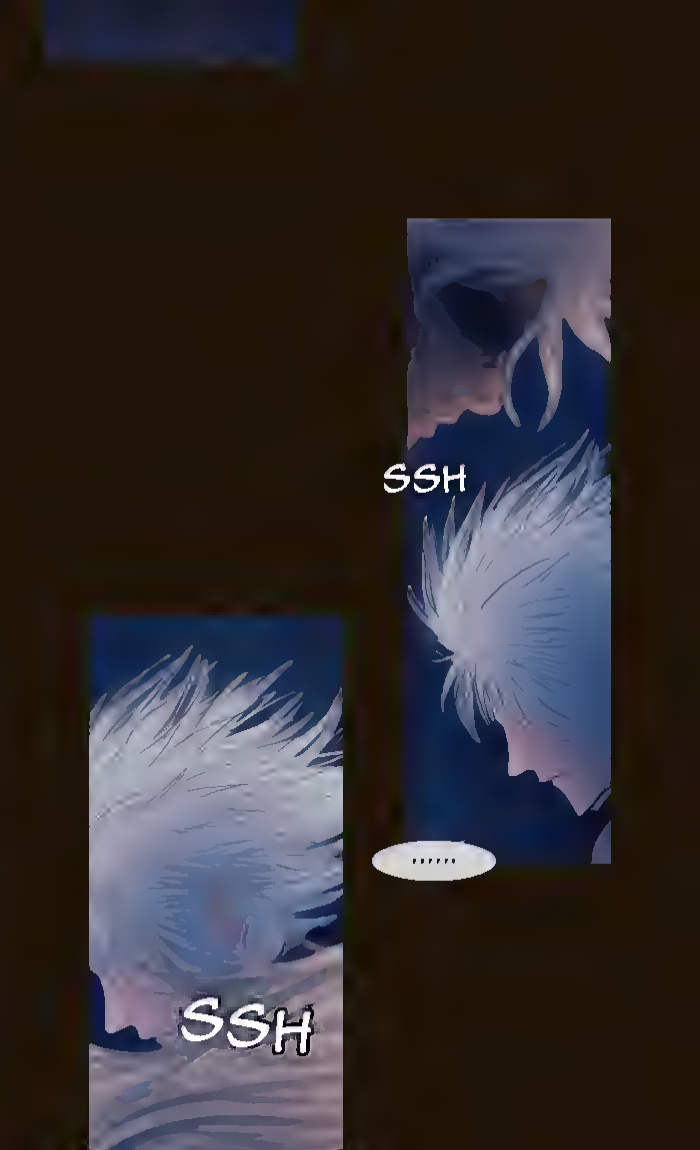

SSH
SSH

SMIRK
TH...THANKS.
WINCE
?!!!

FLOP

ARE YOU OKAY, ENZ?!
KATA KATA
ENZ!!!

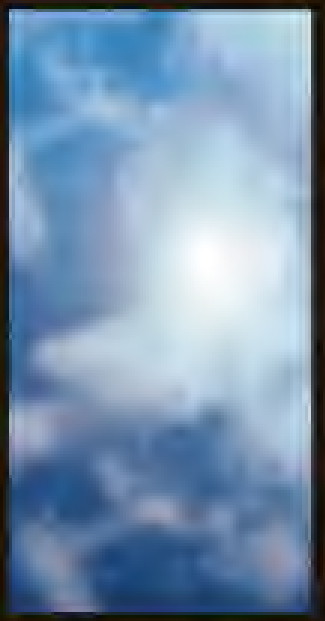
EN...Z?
WHAT? HE'S SMILING!

RGH...
HE GOT ME.
WHAT
DO YOU MEAN?
ARE YOU HURT?
NO, I MEAN
THE LAST ATTACK.
RGH...

RGH!
THE LAST ATTACK? WHAT ABOUT IT?
HE WASN'T GOING TO GET CAUGHT FROM THE BEGINNING HE WANTED TO END IT FOR GOOD
EITHER KILL ME OR GET KILLED... THAT'S WHAT HE WANTED

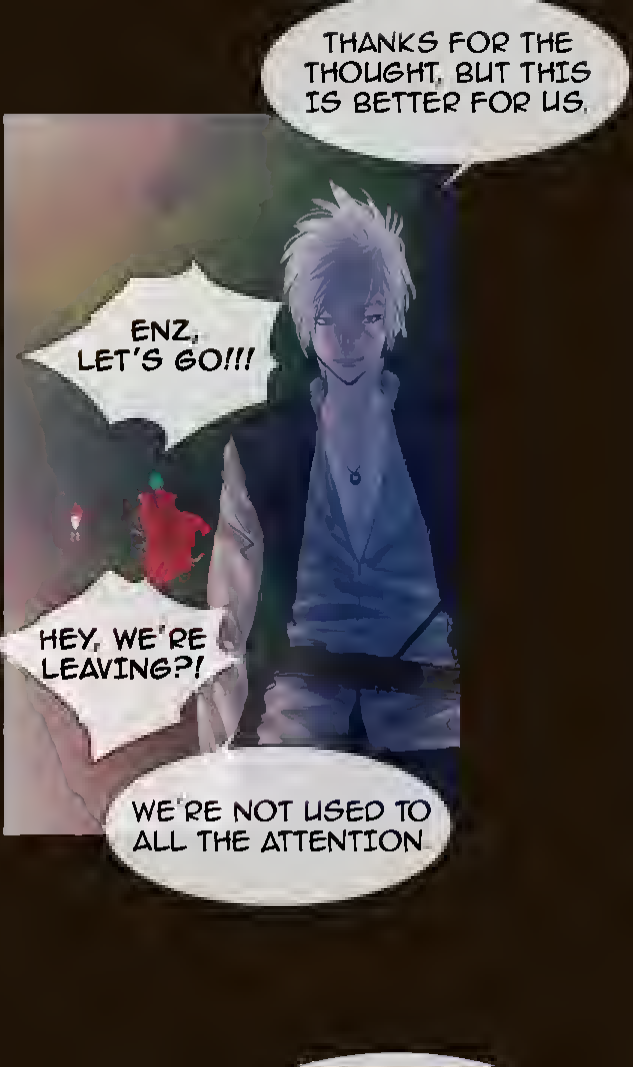
I DID EXACTLY AS HE INTENDED... I DIDN'T THINK IT THROUGH.

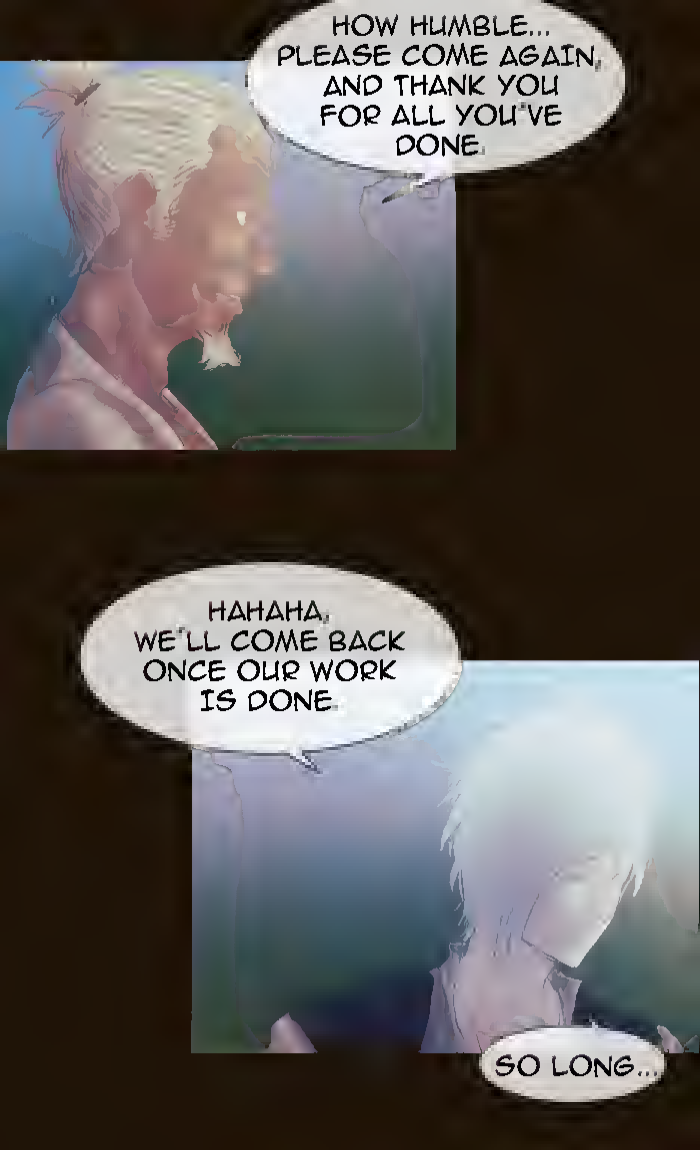
WHEW... I'M BEAT.
IF ALL THE GUYS WE'RE GONNA HAVE TO DEAL WITH ARE LIKE HIM, IT'S GONNA BE SO ANNOYING.



HERE YOU GO.
TAP

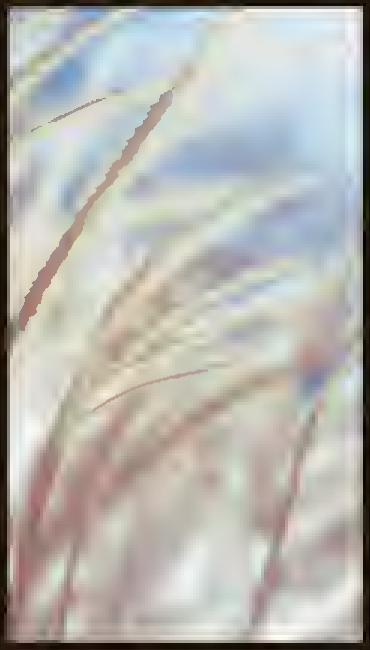
ARE YOU REALLY TAKING OFF? I CAME ALONE BECAUSE YOU ASKED ME TO...
SCRATCH SCRATCH
BUT YOU GUYS ARE OUR HEROES. I'M NOT HAPPY TO SEE YOU GO LIKE THIS.


THANKS FOR THE THOUGHT, BUT THIS IS BETTER FOR US.
ENZ, LET'S GO!!!
HEY, WE'RE LEAVING?!
WE'RE NOT USED TO ALL THE ATTENTION


HOW HUMBLE... PLEASE COME AGAIN, AND THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU'VE DONE.
HAHAHA, WE'LL COME BACK ONCE OUR WORK IS DONE.
SO LONG...

ARE YOU COMING?!
KATA KATA
COMING !!!
WHAT'S THE RUSH?
ENZ, YOU'RE JUST SLOW.

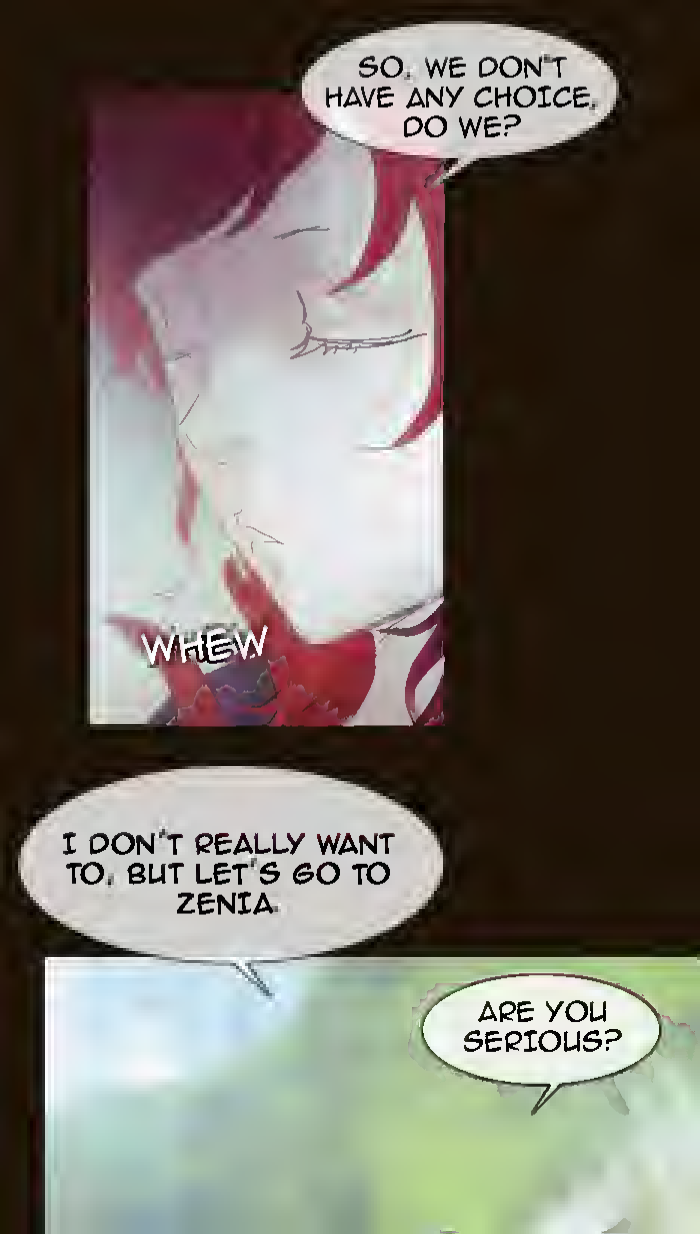
.....
WHAT IF WE DON'T MAKE IT TO THE NEXT VILLAGE BEFORE DARK?
I'VE TOLD YOU OVER AND OVER AGAIN THAT I DON'T LIKE TO CAMP OUT.
BOW
QUIT IT, YOU TWO.

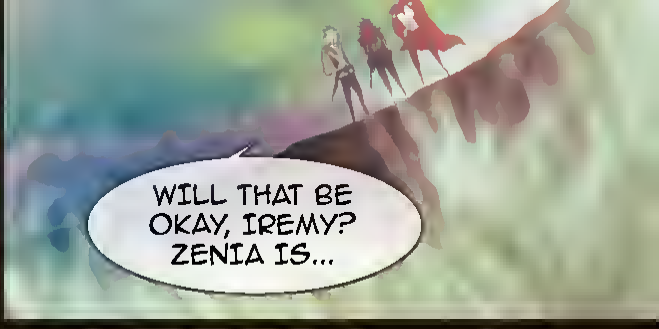


WHAT NEXT? WE CAN'T BASE OUR SEARCH ONLY ON HEARSAY. WE'LL NEVER FIND ETHERMASK LIKE THIS.

WE NEED SOLID INFORMATION.
AT THIS RATE, WE MAY FALL DOWN EVEN BEFORE MEETING HIM, YOU KNOW?
HUH...?
HALT

MM...
SSH
I'VE BEEN THINKING ABOUT THAT...


SO, WE DON'T HAVE ANY CHOICE, DO WE?
WHEW
I DON'T REALLY WANT TO, BUT LET'S GO TO ZENIA.
ARE YOU SERIOUS?



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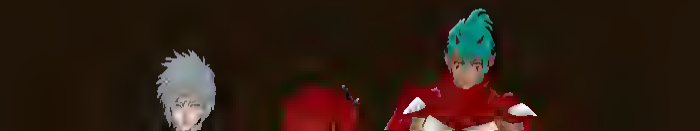

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ZENIA.

BUSTLE
BUSTLE

MM...
WHAT IS THERE TO THINK ABOUT?

I'LL ASK OVER THERE
BUSTLE BUSTLE
CREAK CREAK

UH, OKAY.

IS IT ALWAYS BUSY HERE, OR DID WE COME AT A BAD TIME?

I'M TIRED...
I KNOW. *SIGH* IT'S HARD TO GET USED TO A PLACE LIKE THIS.
IREMY, I GOT IT. OVER HERE, OVER HERE!!!
IT LOOKS LIKE HE FOUND IT. LET'S GO.

MAN, WE WENT ALL THE WAY AROUND.
WHAT, IT'S NOT AROUND HERE?
THEY MOVED A LONG TIME AGO.
WE CAME HERE FOR NOTHING

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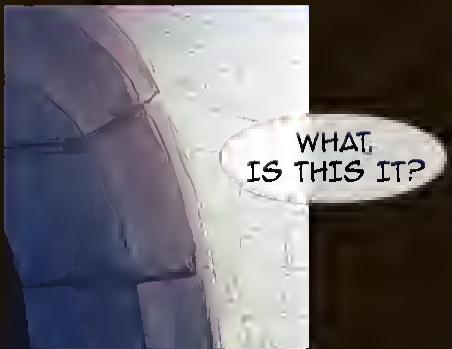
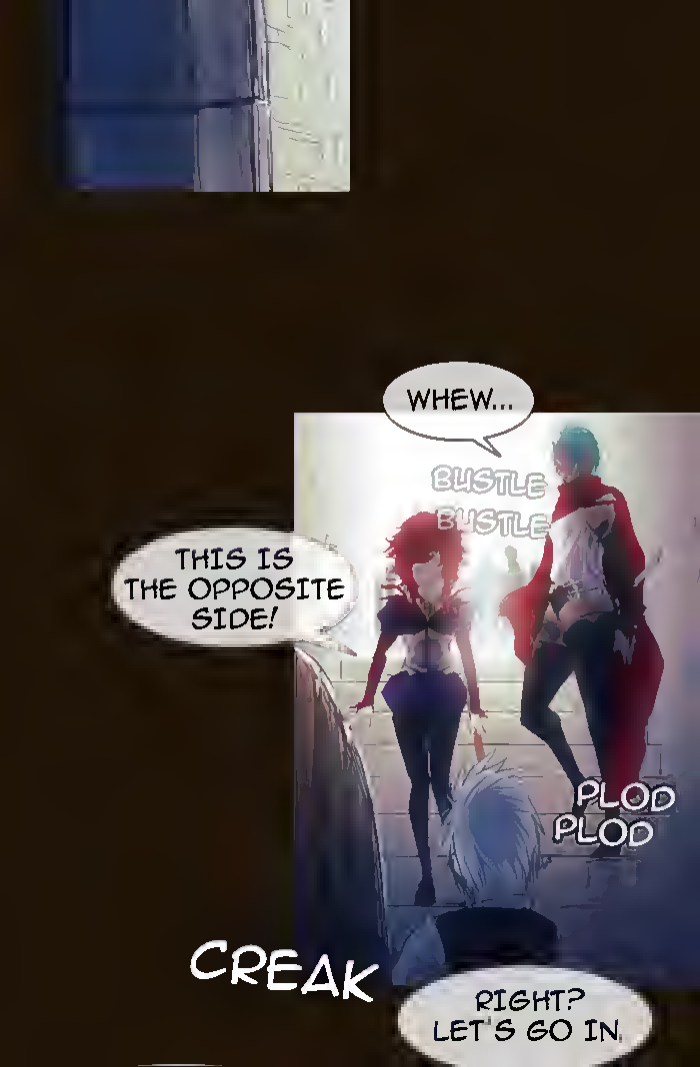
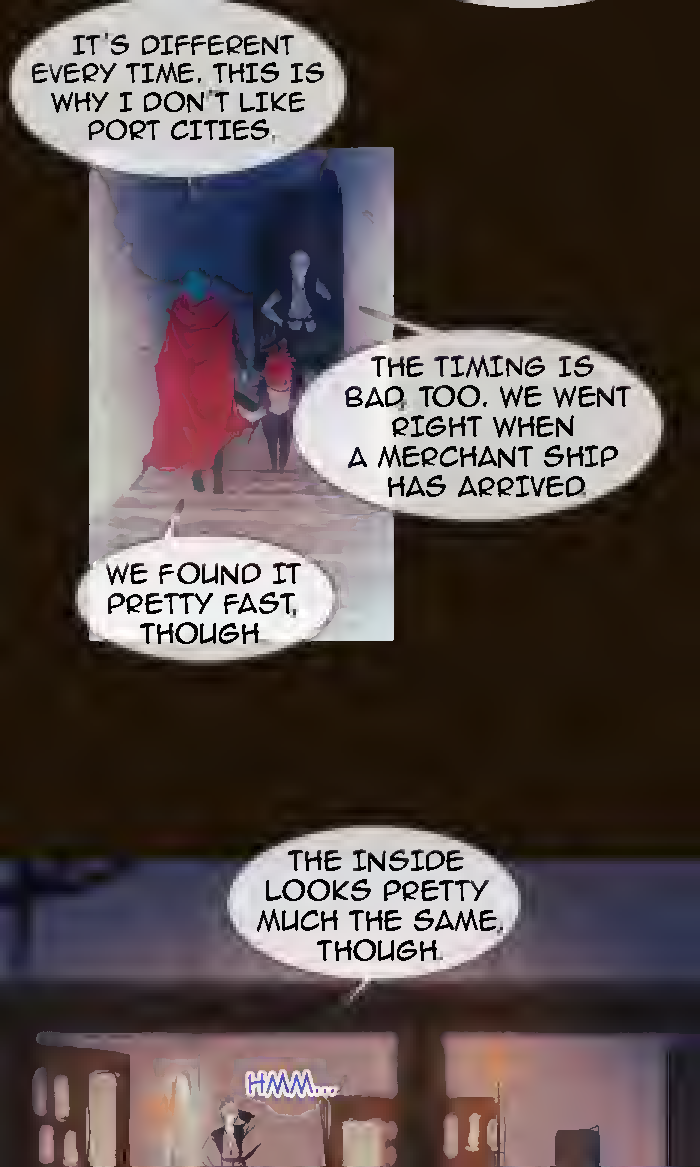
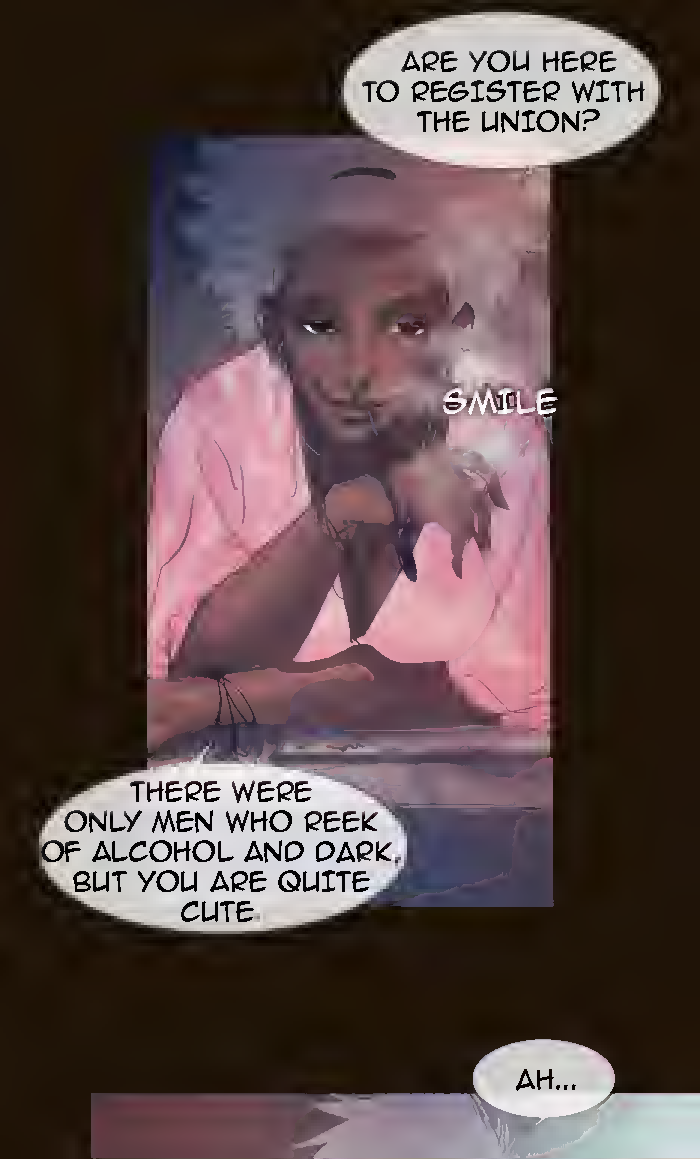



WHEW...
BUSTLE
BUSTLE
THIS IS THE OPPOSITE SIDE!
PLOD
PLOD
CREAK
RIGHT? LET'S GO IN.


IT'S DIFFERENT EVERY TIME. THIS IS WHY I DON'T LIKE PORT CITIES.
THE TIMING IS BAD, TOO. WE WENT RIGHT WHEN A MERCHANT SHIP HAS ARRIVED.
WE FOUND IT PRETTY FAST, THOUGH.
THE INSIDE LOOKS PRETTY MUCH THE SAME, THOUGH.
HMM...

THEY PROBABLY MOVED ALL THEIR OLD STUFF HERE.
IT'S PROBABLY BECAUSE THEY NEEDED MORE STORAGE.
LOOK, BOTH THE CHAIR AND THE BOARD ARE THE SAME.
I HAVEN'T SEEN YOU GUYS BEFORE. HOW CAN I HELP YOU?


ARE YOU HERE TO REGISTER WITH THE UNION?
SMILE
THERE WERE ONLY MEN WHO REEK OF ALCOHOL AND DARK, BUT YOU ARE QUITE CUTE.
AH...

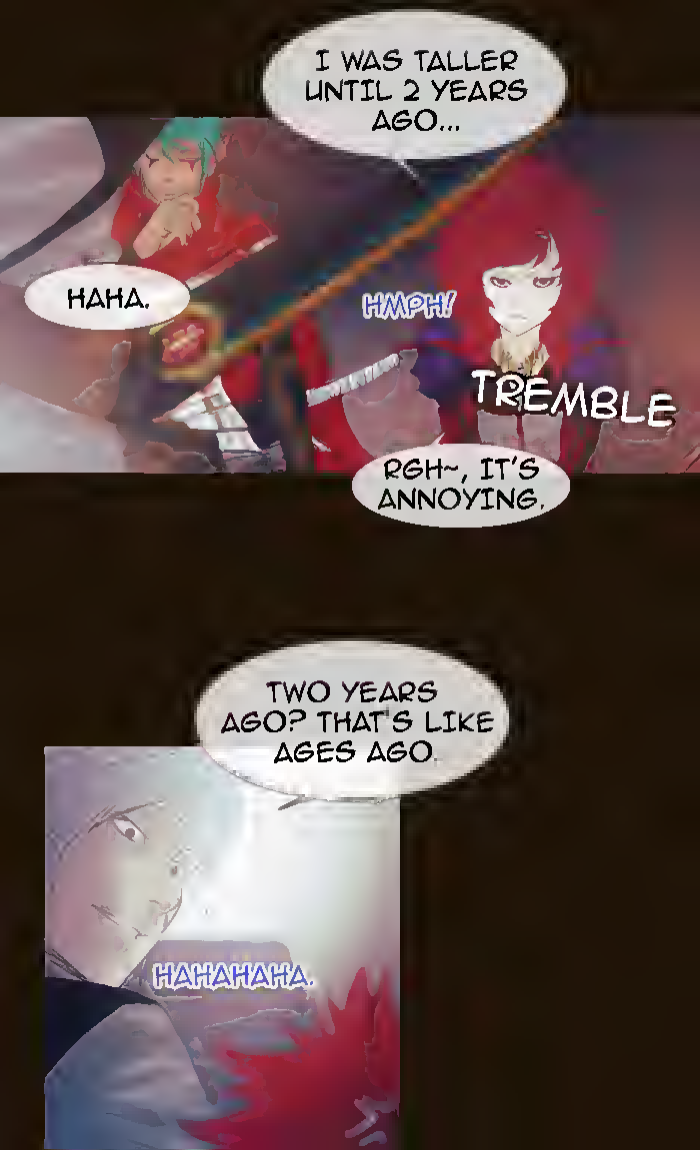
SWEAT
HELLO, HOW DO YOU DO?
WE'RE NOT HERE TO REGISTER, BUT WE WANTED TO ASK YOU SOMETHING.
ASK ME WHAT?
WELL...

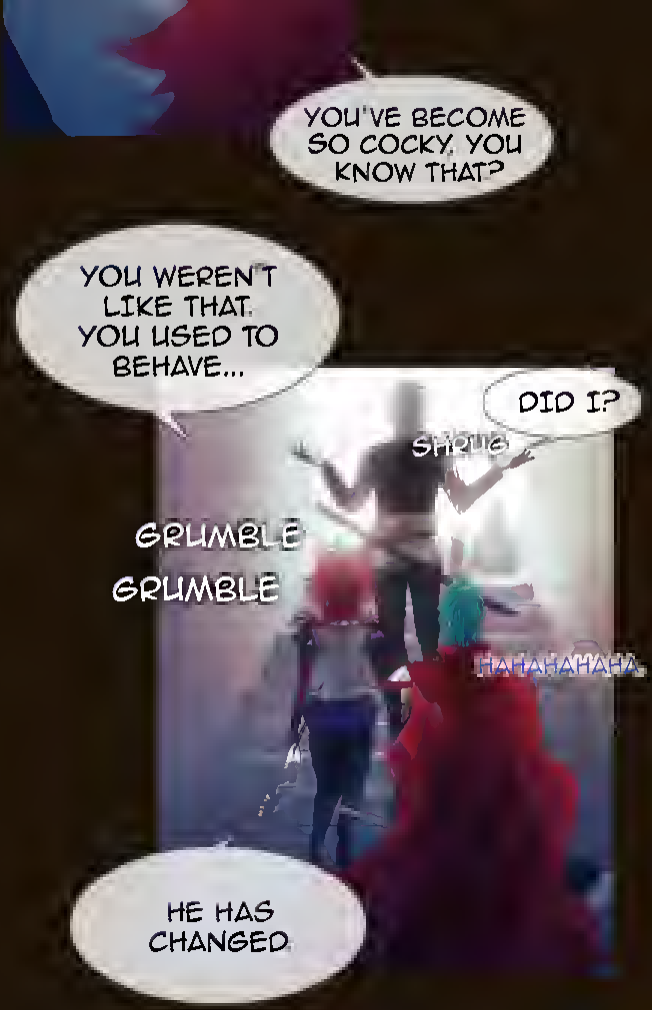
I CAN'T GIVE OUT PERSONAL INFORMATION.
OH, COME ON.
.....
GEEZ. HE'S SO PRETENTIOUS... LOOK AT HIM. HE'S SO SMOOTH WITH THE LADIES.
WELL, HE'S GOT THE LOOKS.

URGH~.
IT HELPS AT TIMES LIKE THIS.
I STILL DON'T GET IT. WHAT'S TO LIKE ABOUT HIM?
HAHAHA. ENZ WOULD HAVE CRIED IF HE HEARD THAT!
ABOUT THIS [illegible]. MAYBE...
SSH
AND YOU DON'T KNOW THE NAME?
CRY FOR WHAT? LOOK AT HIM. HE LOOKED BETTER BEFORE.

HE WAS CUTER... NOW HE'S JUST... GROSS.
STRETCH
SLIT-EYED LIKE THIS...
HAHAHAHA. YES, HE WAS CUTE
AND HE WASN'T AS TALL...
SSH

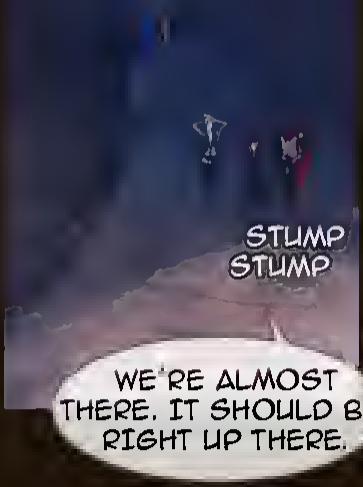
GRUMBLE
GRUMBLE
WHO'S TALL?
TALKING BEHIND
MY BACK AGAIN?
COME ON.
I KNOW WHERE
TO GO.
RAGE
RGH!!!


I WAS TALLER UNTIL 2 YEARS AGO...
HAHA.
HMPH!
TREMBLE
RGH~, IT'S ANNOYING.
TWO YEARS AGO? THAT'S LIKE AGES AGO.
HAHAHAHA.


YOU'VE BECOME SO COCKY. YOU KNOW THAT?
YOU WEREN'T LIKE THAT. YOU USED TO BEHAVE...
DID I?
SHRUG
GRUMBLE
GRUMBLE
HAHAHAHAHA
HE HAS CHANGED

WHY? DO YOU THINK YOU'LL FALL FOR ME NOW?
GRIN
WHA... WHAT?!
YUCK, HEY!!!

IT'S PRETTY FAR. HOW MUCH FURTHER DO WE HAVE TO GO UP?

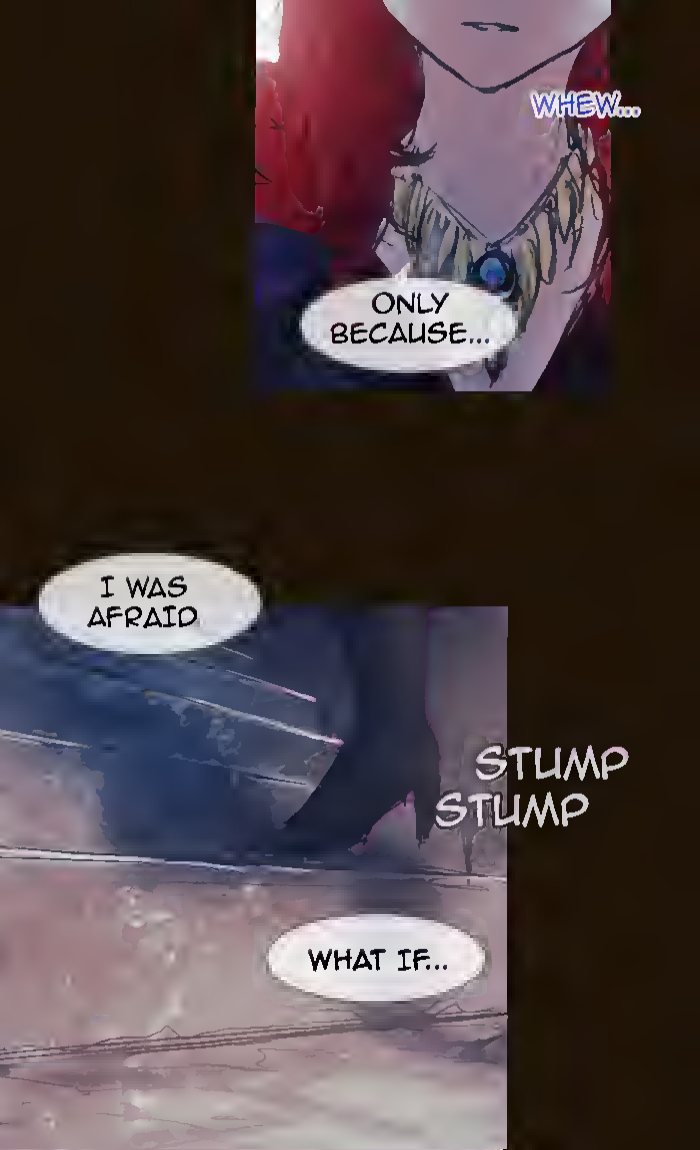

STUMP
STUMP
WE'RE ALMOST THERE. IT SHOULD BE RIGHT UP THERE.

HALT

I...IS THIS IT?
Oh.
.....
THIS IS HUGE.

IT'S A HUGE MANSION!
THIS IS THE RIGHT ADDRESS, RIGHT?
IT'S ALMOST A CASTLE

ARE YOU OKAY, IREMY? YOU'VE BEEN AVOIDING THIS PLACE.
I'M OKAY. I'VE BEEN AVOIDING UNTIL NOW...

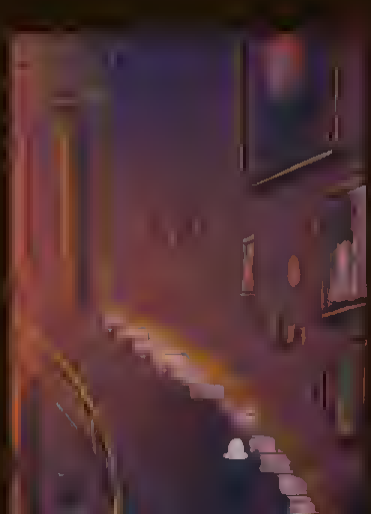

WHEW...
ONLY BECAUSE...
I WAS AFRAID
STUMP STUMP
WHAT IF...

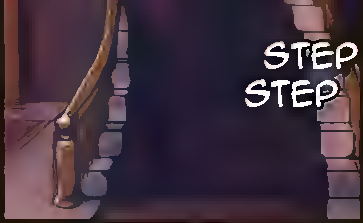
I KEPT ON THINKING, WHAT IF...
...WHAT IF I'D SEEM BITTER WHEN WE MET.
.....
I KNEW IT WAS A DANGEROUS JOURNEY ANYWAY...

I KNEW IT'D COME TO AN END SOON OR LATER...

SSH

SO, I WAS AFRAID TO SEE MYSELF BLAMING AT HIM FOR EVERYTHING.
BUT WE HAD TO MEET ANYWAY.
DANG DANG
I'M RATHER LATE

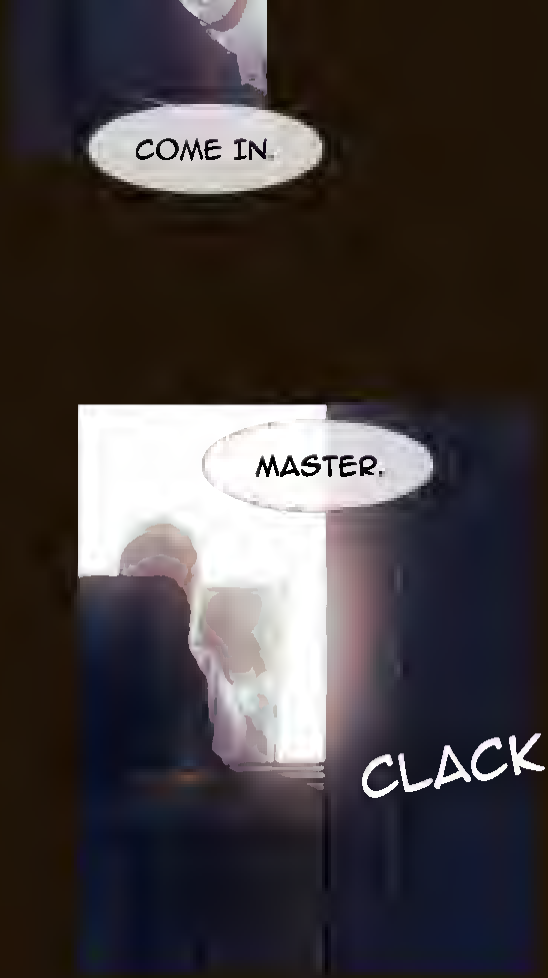



STEP
STEP

STEP
STEP

HALT

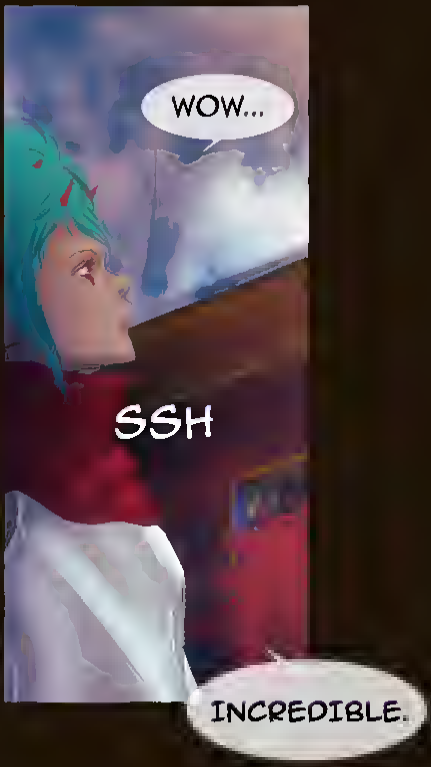
KNOCK
KNOCK
KNOCK


COME IN.
MASTER.
CLACK

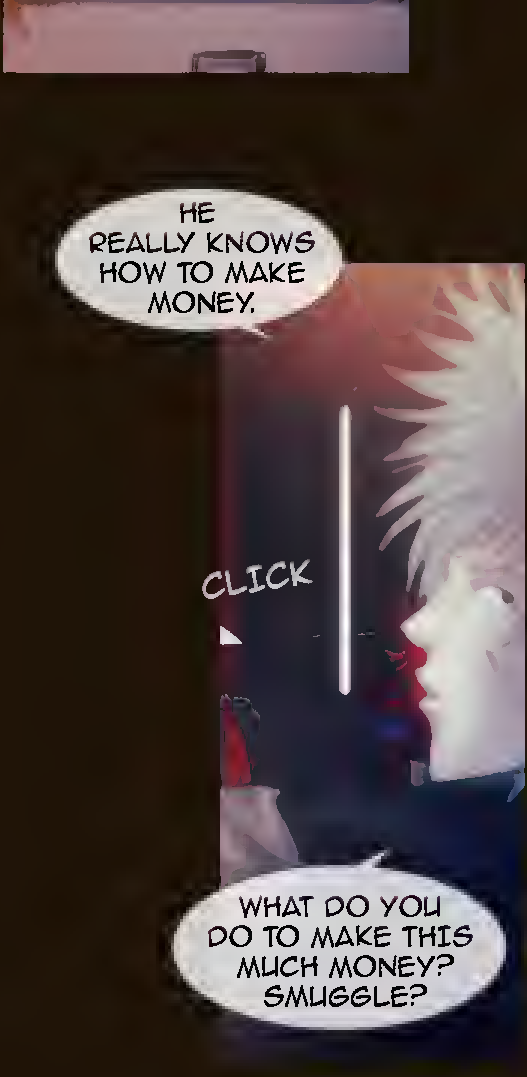
WHAT IS IT?
SSH
I DON'T HAVE ANY SCHEDULE UNTIL DINNER TIME.
YOU HAVE A GUEST

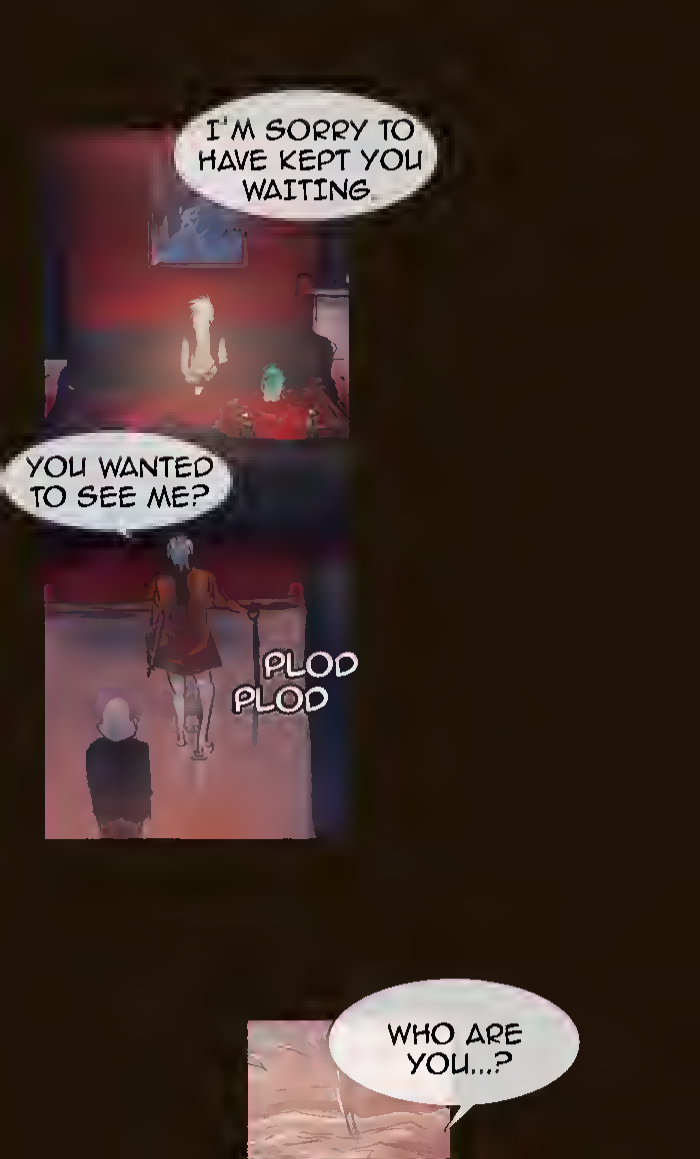
SSH
WHO?
THEY SAY THEY'RE OLD FRIENDS OF YOURS.
CREAK

OLD FRIENDS?
YES, THEY ARE IN THE RECEPTION ROOM.
GAZE
GAZE


WOW...
SSH
INCREDIBLE.

THIS IS ONE HELL OF A RECEPTION!
ALL THESE ITEMS SCATTERED AROUND THE HOUSE MUST BE EXPENSIVE!


HE REALLY KNOWS HOW TO MAKE MONEY.
CLICK
WHAT DO YOU DO TO MAKE THIS MUCH MONEY? SMUGGLE?


I'M SORRY TO HAVE KEPT YOU WAITING
YOU WANTED TO SEE ME?
PLOD
PLOD
WHO ARE YOU...?

WINCE
HUH...?
Y...YOU GUYS!!!
HEY!
YOU LOOK DIFFERENT

IT'S BEEN 8 YEARS ALREADY. HE'S IN HIS LATE 60'S.
OH, MY, LOOK WHO'S HERE?!
MISTER...
PLOD PLOD
SPRING UP

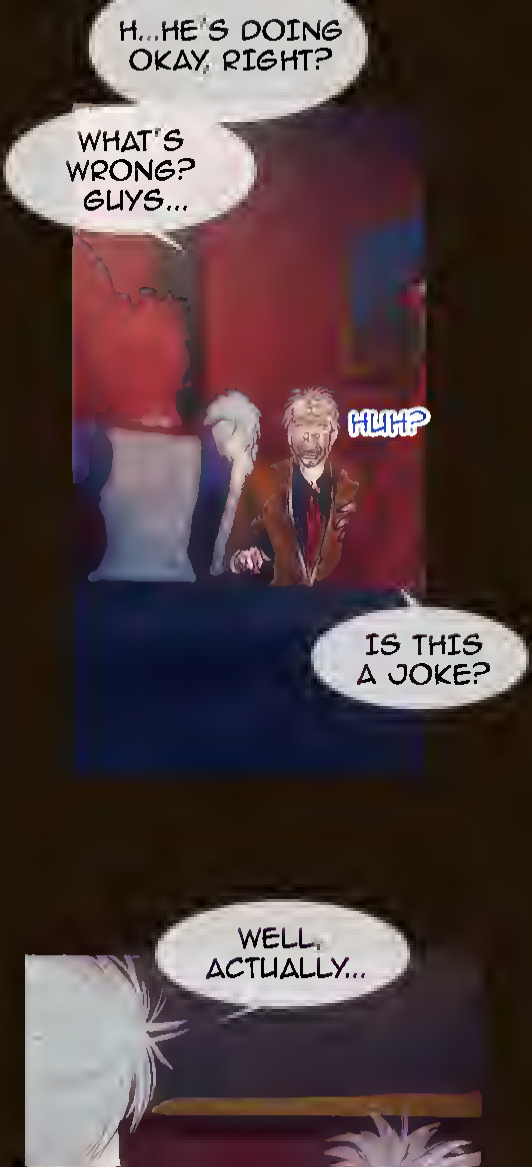
LONG TIME NO SEE, ENZ!!!
HUG
LONG TIME NO SEE, MISTER.

WHAT TOOK YOU SO LONG?! IT'S BEEN YEARS...
AHAHAHA
YOU GREW SO HANDSOME!
I'VE MISSED YOU SO MUCH ALL THESE YEARS.
METHEW, IREMY, EVERYONE. I MISSED YOU ALL.
I'M ONLY HALF-DRAGON, BUT I STILL LIVE A LONG TIME.
.....

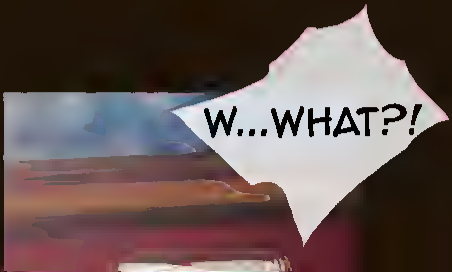
DON'T YOU GROW OLD?
IREMY'S SO PRETTY, AND METHEW IS STILL SO CHIC.
I'M JEALOUS, HAHAHA.
B...BUT...
GAZE
GAZE

HOW COME IT'S JUST THE THREE OF YOU?
IT SHOULD BE HARD FOR SIR ETHERMASK TO COME HERE WITH ALL THE BOUNTY HUNTERS AROUND...
DROOP
.....
BUT, DURT? WHERE'S HE?

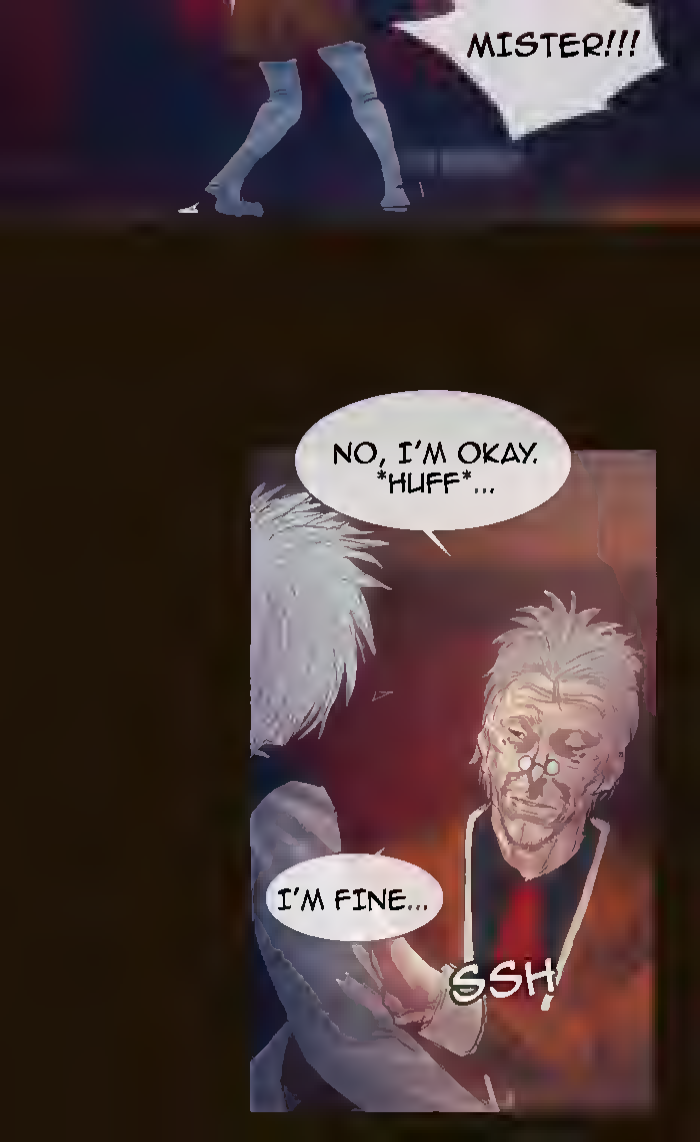
WHY ISN'T DURT HERE?
HE MUST BE WITH SIR ETHERMASK, HUH?
RIGHT?
FIDGET FIDGET
WHAT'S THE MATTER?


H...HE'S DOING OKAY, RIGHT?
WHAT'S WRONG? GUYS...
HUH?
IS THIS A JOKE?
WELL, ACTUALLY...

TAP
HUH?

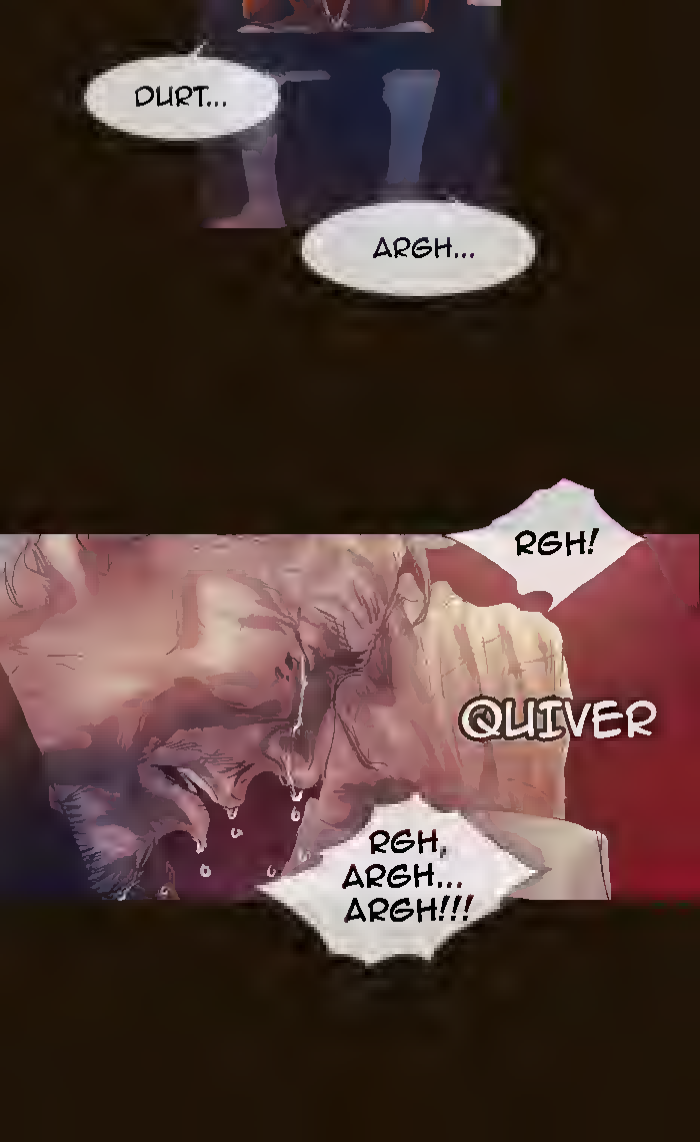

W...WHAT?!

AH...
STAGGER


MISTER!!!
NO, I'M OKAY. *HUFF*...
I'M FINE...
SSH

I'M FINE...
FLOP

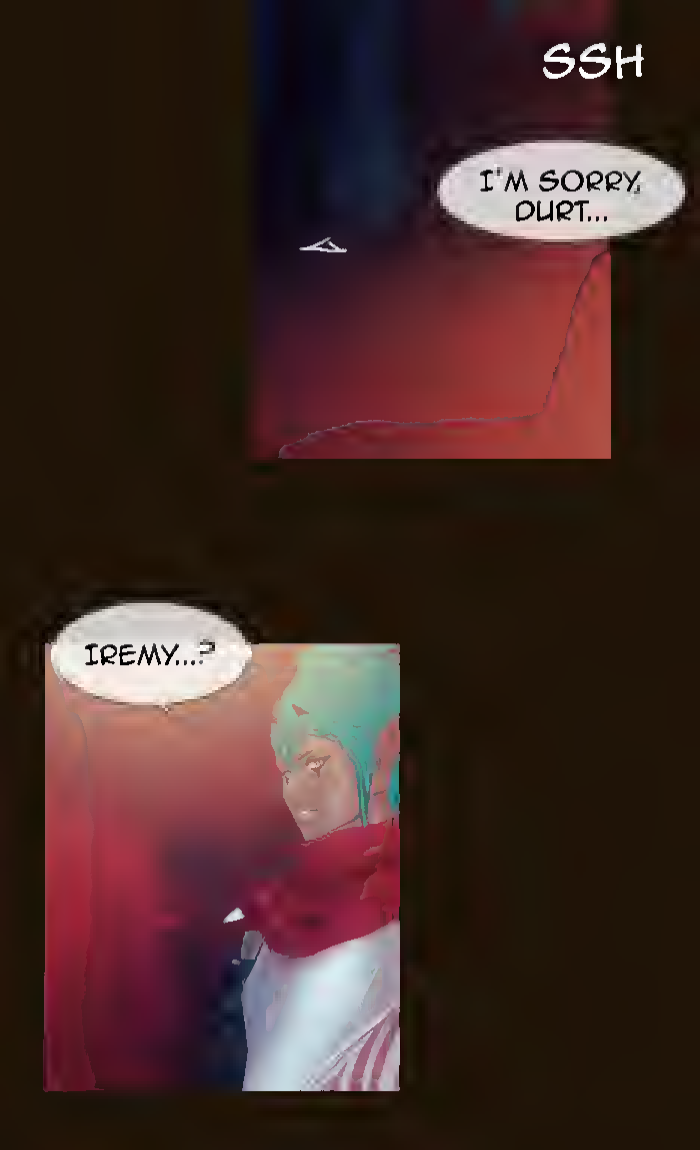
SIGH...
DROOP


DURT...
ARGH...
RGH!
QUIVER
RGH,
ARGH...
ARGH!!!

RRRRR...
DROP
DROP
OH... NO...
DURT...
I WAS SO SURE...
I WAS SO SURE THAT
HE'D BE ALRIGHT

I WANTED TO BELIEVE SO.
I BETRAYED MY FRIENDS FOR MONEY, AND THIS IS HOW I'M PUNISHED...
BUT WHY DURT, WHY DURT...
WHY DID IT HAVE TO BE YOU... NOT ME...? WHY, ARGH... WHY... WHY...?
.....

IT'S ALL MY FAULT.
I MADE A MISTAKE
THAT CANNOT BE
UNDONE...
QUIVER
QUIVER
ARGH...


SSH
I'M SORRY, DURT...
IREMY...?

I'M SORRY.
I'M SO SORRY...
ARGH...

.....
DURT, I'M SORRY... I'M SO SORRY...
DURT... IT'S ALL MY FAULT...
ARGH... ARGH... AHHH...
SSH
DROP

DROP
MISTER...
DROP
IT'S NOT YOUR FAULT. IT'S NOT...
SSH
TRICKLE
IT WAS NOBODY'S FAULT
ARGH... RGH... DURT...

THANK YOU, IREMY...
THANK YOU FOR SAYING LIKE THAT... ARGH...
GRAB

THANK YOU...

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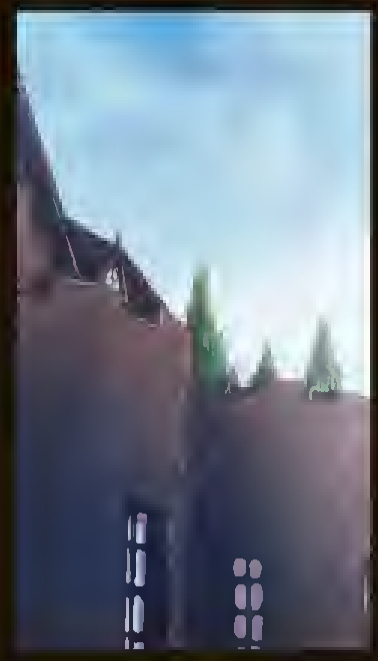

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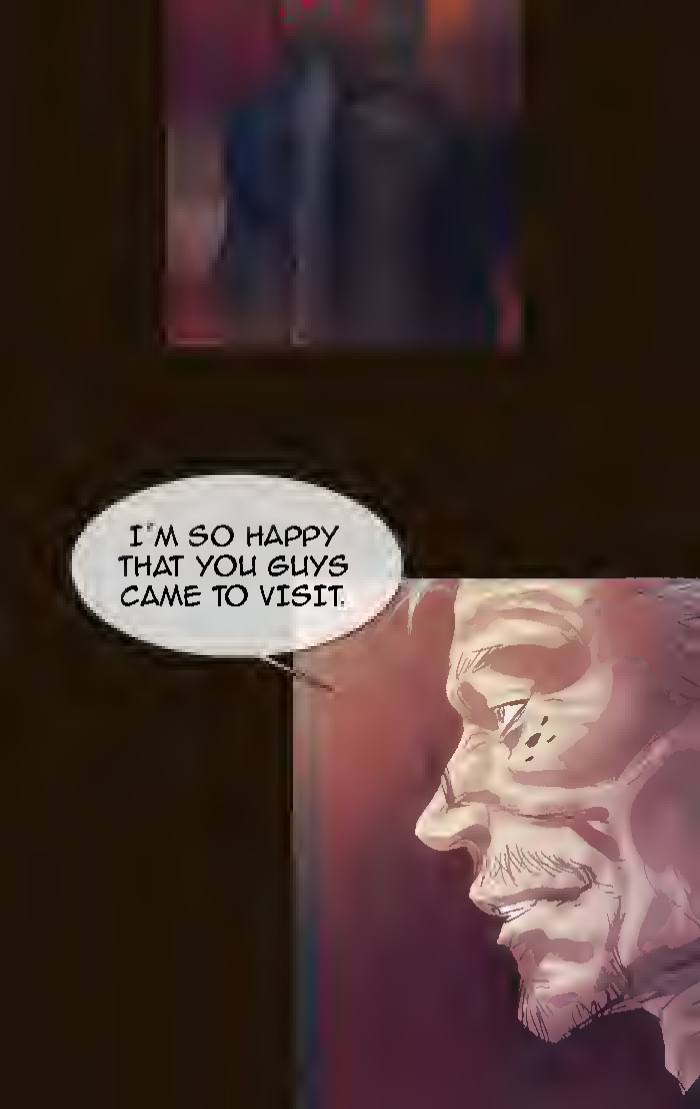

I'M SO HAPPY THAT YOU GUYS CAME TO VISIT.

IF THERE'S ANYTHING I CAN HELP YOU WITH, JUST TELL ME. I'LL DO EVERYTHING I CAN TO HELP.
THANK YOU, MISTER.
JUST TELL ME WHAT I CAN DO TO HELP.

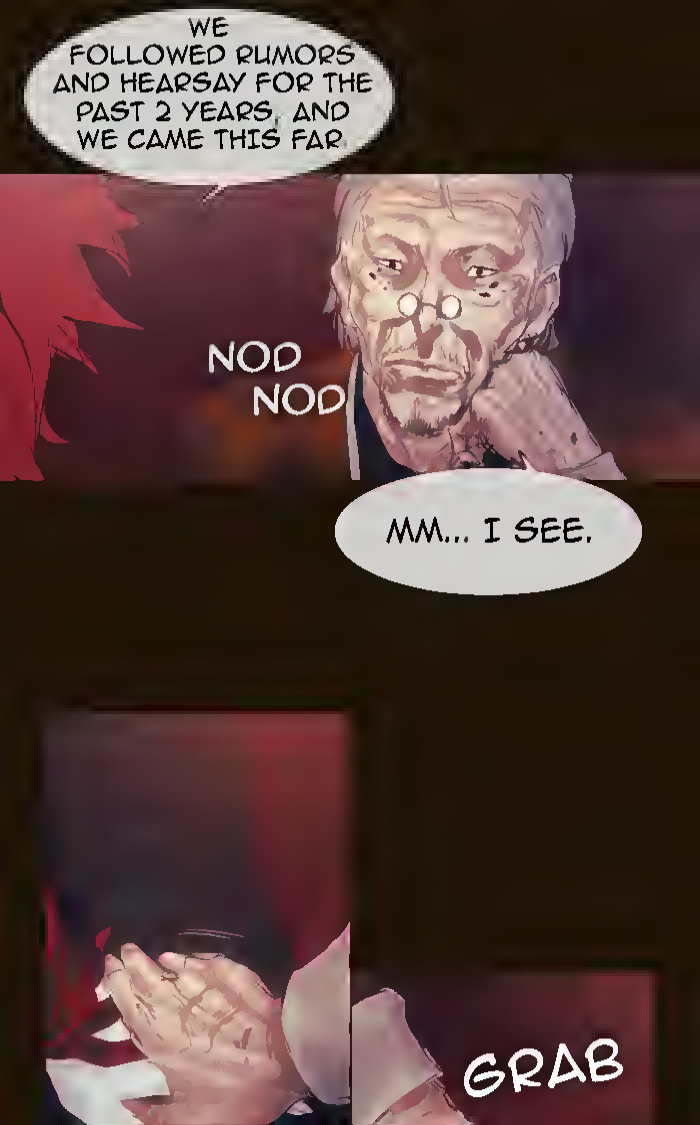
WELL... WE'RE LOOKING FOR INFORMATION THAT'LL LEAD US TO ETHERMASK.
SIR ETHERMASK?

HE'S NOT WITH YOU GUYS ANYMORE?
OUR JOURNEY WITH HIM ENDED THAT DAY 8 YEARS AGO. HE LEFT WITHOUT US.

HMM...
WE CALMED METHEW DOWN FIRST, THEN WENT AFTER HIM.
WE GOT TO EDWIN SOON AFTER THAT, BUT...

WHAT WE SAW THERE WAS...
...ONLY A DESTROYED PALACE THAT SEEMED TO REFLECT ETHERMASK'S STATE OF MIND.
THE CITY WAS BUSY WITH PEOPLE WHO WANTED TO CATCH HIM. THEIR VOICES FILLED THE AIR.

THAT'S WHERE WE LOST TRACK OF HIM AND WENT BACK HOME.
WE TRAINED OURSELVES AND CAME BACK TO THIS CONTINENT TO LOOK FOR HIM 2 YEARS AGO


WE FOLLOWED RUMORS AND HEARSAY FOR THE PAST 2 YEARS, AND WE CAME THIS FAR
NOD NOD
MM... I SEE.
GRAB

GRAB
IT MUST HAVE BEEN TOUGH.

MM...
I THINK I KNOW WHAT I NEED TO DO.

SSH
I'LL DO EVERYTHING IN MY POWER TO FIND A TRACE OF SIR ETHERMASK
I'LL LOOK INTO EVERY TINY RUMOR TO FIND THE MOST PROMISING LEAD
CLENCH

I'LL MAKE SURE I DO THIS RIGHT.
MISTER... WE REALLY APPRECIATE THIS.
HAHA!

HEHEH,
I FEEL I CAN
TRUST YOU
THIS TIME.
I'M
IMPRESSED.
IT WILL TAKE
TIME TO GATHER
INFORMATION AND
CHECK IT OUT

SO, STAY HERE FOR THE TIME BEING.

SCRATCH SCRATCH
WELL, THAT'S NICE OF YOU, BUT...

IS THERE SOMETHING ELSE GOING ON?
WE'D LIKE TO VISIT HOME FOR A BIT.
IREMY HAS TO GO SEE CHIEF WENDRA, TOO.
WE HAVE BEEN AWAY FOR QUITE A WHILE NOW, SO WE NEED TO TAKE CARE OF A FEW THINGS.

DROOP
I...I SEE
WE'VE MET AFTER
ALL THESE YEARS, BUT
WE CAN'T REALLY
ENJOY THIS
MOMENT
WHEW...
BUT,
YOU CAN MAKE
TIME FOR ME
TODAY, RIGHT?
OPEN
HE'S SO

TENACIOUS!
EVEN IF YOU HAVE TO GO TOMORROW, STAY HERE TONIGHT.
I CAN'T LET YOU GO LIKE THIS TODAY. NO WAY.
I WON'T BUDGE. PLEASE STAY WITH ME JUST FOR TODAY.
HAHAHAHA

I'LL PREPARE A SHIP TO TAKE YOU TO NEVIS TOMORROW.
WINK
BUT, TODAY, LET'S JUST CATCH UP.
YOU'RE BOTH ADULTS NOW, SO I'M GOING TO KEEP YOU UP LATE.

SCRATCH
SCRATCH
NOD

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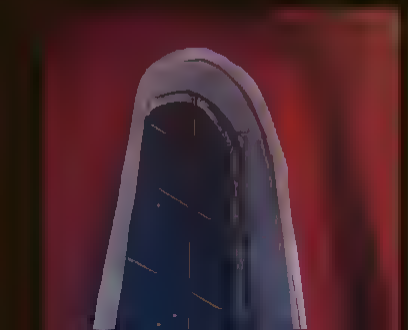
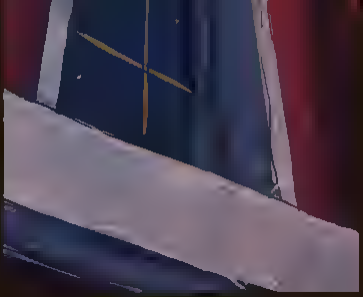
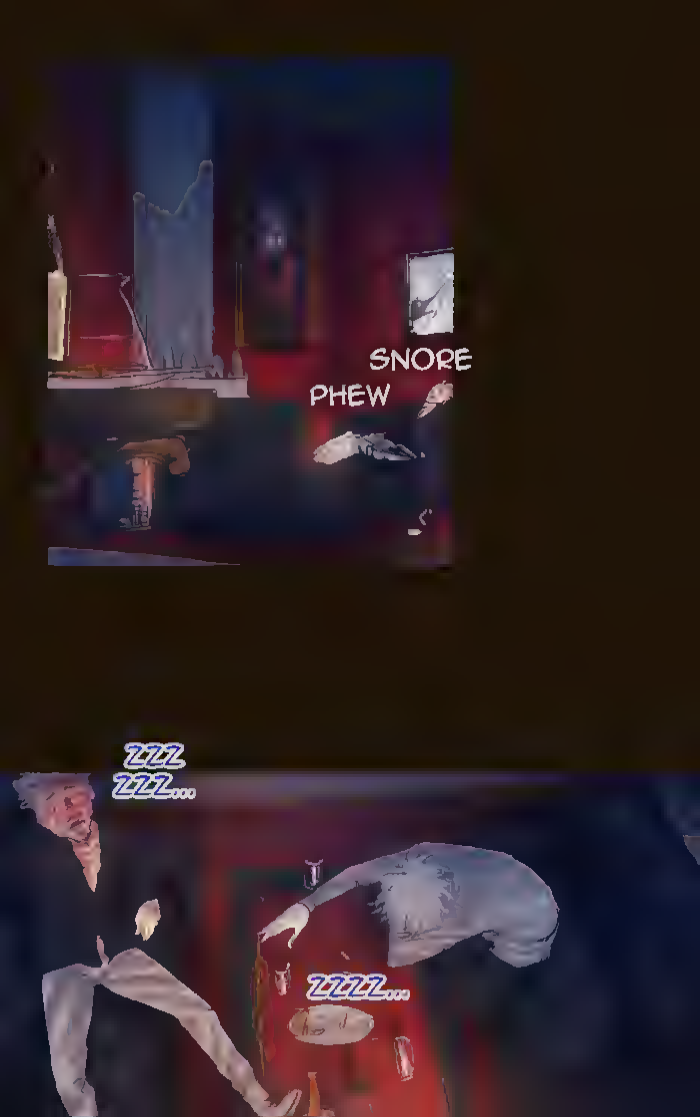
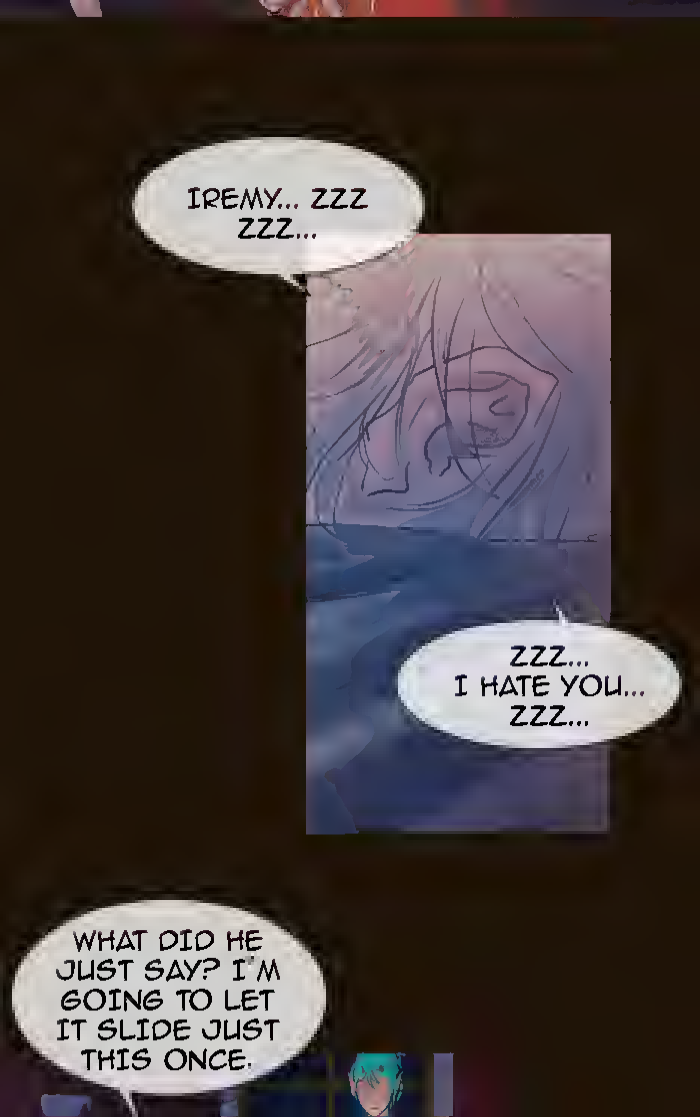


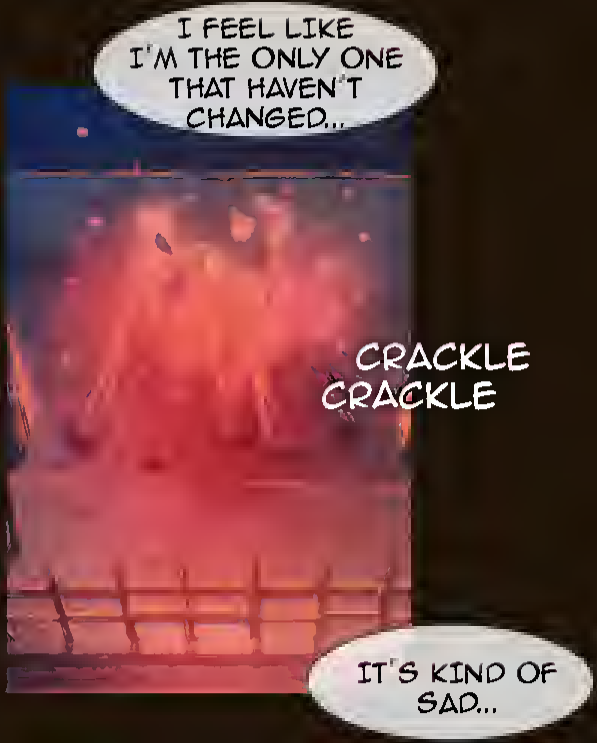



SNORE
PHEW
ZZZ
ZZZ...
ZZZZ...


IREMY... ZZZ ZZZ...
ZZZ... I HATE YOU... ZZZ...
WHAT DID HE JUST SAY? I'M GOING TO LET IT SLIDE JUST THIS ONCE.

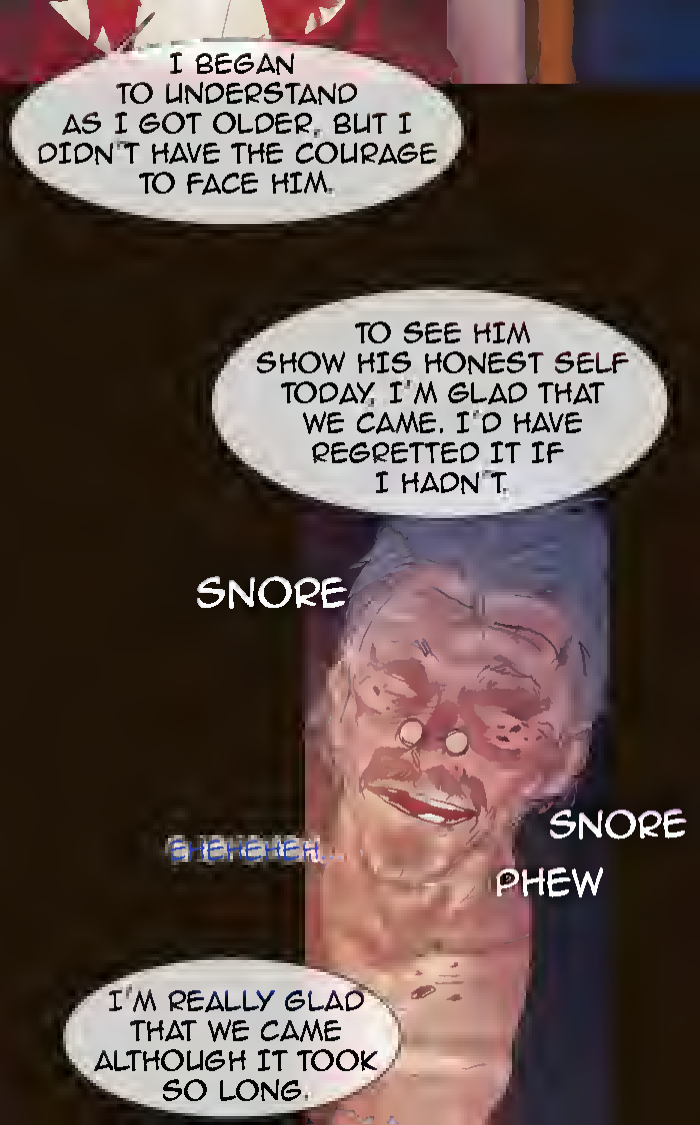
HAHA
RAGE
SNORE
PHEW
I THINK I KNOW WHAT THAT MEANS
BY THE WAY, I GREW UP WITH HIM. BUT HE'S SO DIFFERENT NOW

AH...


I FEEL LIKE I'M THE ONLY ONE THAT HAVEN'T CHANGED...
CRACKLE CRACKLE
IT'S KIND OF SAD...

TO SEE WRINKLES GROW ON MY FRIEND'S FACE...
PHEW
LET'S DRINK LIKE THIS IS THE LAST DAY... ZZZ... NOBODY SLEEPS...
SIS...
I THINK IT'S GOOD THAT WE CAME TO SEE HIM.

YEAH?
WELL, I WAS YOUNG AND I BLAMED HIM FOR WHAT HAPPENED


I BEGAN TO UNDERSTAND AS I GOT OLDER, BUT I DIDN'T HAVE THE COURAGE TO FACE HIM.
TO SEE HIM SHOW HIS HONEST SELF TODAY, I'M GLAD THAT WE CAME. I'D HAVE REGRETTED IT IF I HADN'T.
SNORE
SNORE
PHEW
I'M REALLY GLAD THAT WE CAME ALTHOUGH IT TOOK SO LONG.

I'M SORRY THAT I MADE YOU STAY AWAY FROM HIM
HE'S STILL YOUR FRIEND, BUT BECAUSE OF ME...

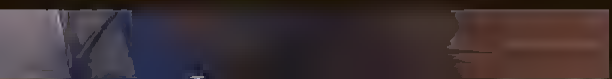
IT'S OKAY. HE GOT WHAT HE DESERVED.
REMEMBER? I WAS TRAPPED FOR 40 YEARS BECAUSE OF THIS GUY.
HE'S OLDER AND WISER, BUT STILL HAS A LONG WAY TO GO.
HAHAHAHA, REALLY?

SIS,
I HAD FUN TODAY.

CHINK

YEAH, I DID, TOO.

I'LL NEVER
FORGET THIS DAY.



CREAK
CREAK

RUMBLE
RUMBLE
RUMBLE
RUMBLE

WOW.

WOW~, AMAZING.
IT'S SO BIG!
WOW.
IT'S THE TAIL WAGGING THE DOG!
.....
WHAT DO YOU THINK? THIS WILL DO, RIGHT?

THIS IS MAKING US FEEL BAD. YOU COULD HAVE JUST ARRANGED A BOAT.
GRIN
WE'RE JUST GOING HOME FOR A BIT AND COME BACK.
THIS IS TOO MUCH THIS IS A BIG LOSE FOR YOU, ISN'T IT?
WHAT? OF COURSE I CAN DO THIS MUCH FOR AN OLD FRIEND. IT'S MY SHIP, SO DON'T WORRY.

DON'T WORRY, AND JUST ENJOY THE TRIP.
THE CREW WORK FOR ME TOO, SO THEY'LL TREAT YOU WELL.
OH, THANKS.

THANK YOU, MISTER, FOR DOING ALL THIS.

EHEHEH.
WE CAN TRAVEL IN COMFORT THANKS TO YOU
THIS IS NOTHING... HAVE A GOOD TRIP. I'M SORRY I CAN'T GO WITH YOU.
WINK

I'LL WAIT FOR YOU WITH SOME GOOD NEWS. HAHAHAHA.

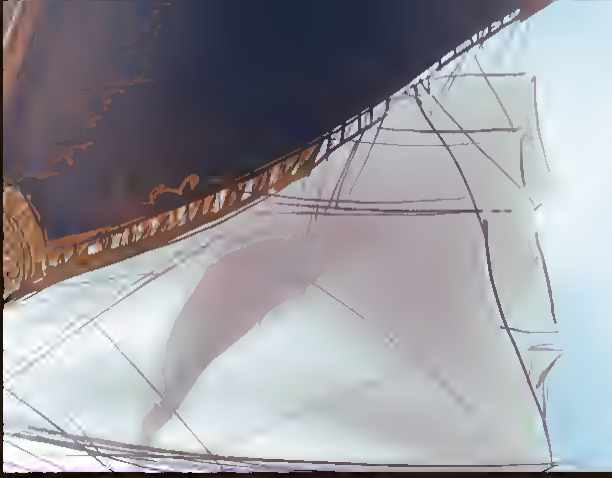
WE'LL GO NOW.
MISTER, SEE YOU LATER.
CREAK CREAK
SEE YOU IN A FEW DAYS.
YEAH, TAKE CARE OF YOURSELVES. BYE.

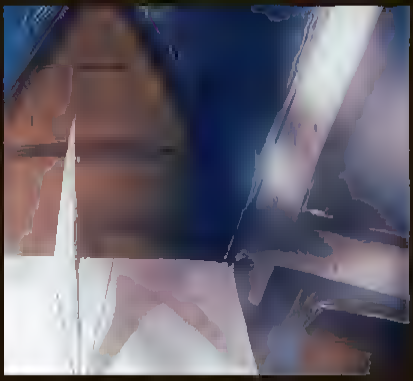
HAHAHAHA.
SEE YOU IN A FEW DAYS.

FLAP

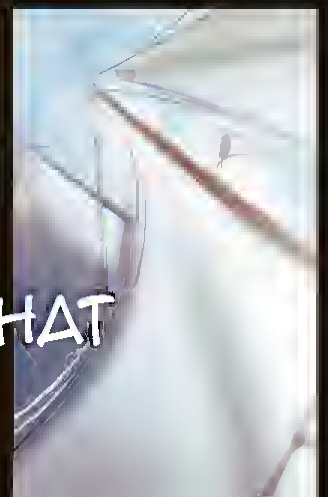
MOVE NOW!!!
CREAK
CREAK

TURN IT THIS WAY!!!
ROLL

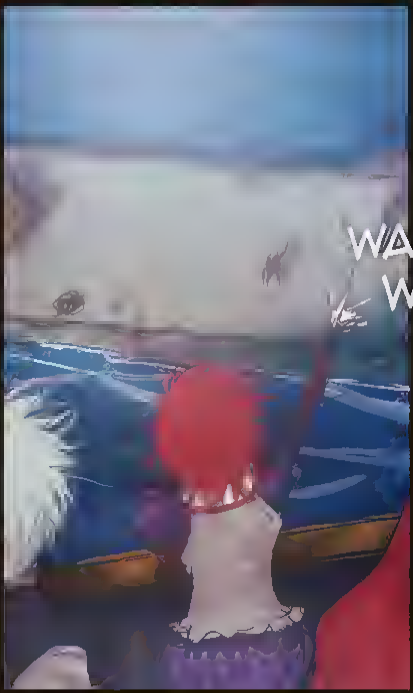


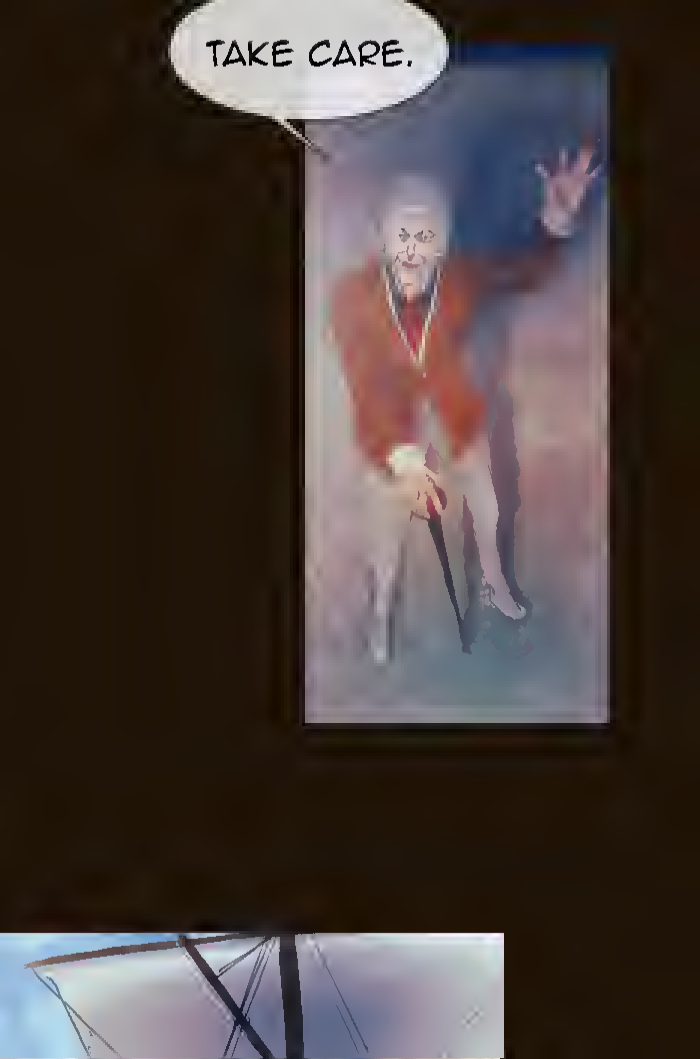


SPREAD


PHAT

MISTER, WE'RE GOING NOW!!!


WAVE
WAVE


TAKE CARE.

WAVE
WAVE

SWEAT
URGH

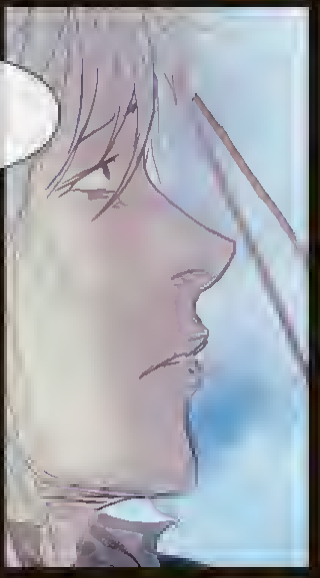
YOU REALLY HAVE TO DO THIS?
TAP TAP TAP
WHY DID YOU DRINK SO MUCH WHEN YOU CAN'T HANDLE IT?

TAP TAP
IT'S HARSH ON YOUR BODY, YOU KNOW...
B, BUT I COULDN'T HELP IT...

WE STARTED TALKING ABOUT THE GOOD OLD DAYS, AND GOT CARRIED AWAY.
SSH
WELL...

IT WAS OUT OF MY CONTROL.

AND...



HE SEEMED TO BE LONELY.
HE IS SO SUCCESSFUL, YET HE SEEMED SO LONELY.

SWISH
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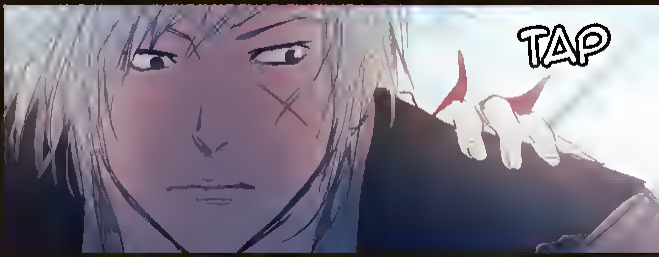
TAP

GOOD.
FOR YOU...
OOP!!!

ACK
ARGH!!!
PHAT

IDIOT!!!
YOU ALMOST THREW UP ON ME!
IRE... S...SORRY...
DON'T TALK AND PUKE AT THE SAME TIME!!!
TURN YOUR HEAD AWAY, AND NEVER DRINK EVER AGAIN!!!

NEVER!!!

RGH!

TO BE CONTINUED...

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GRANDMA!!!
HAHAHA.
GRANDMA,
I'M HERE!!!

HUH?
OH~, IT'S BEEN A LONG TIME.
IREMY IS HERE.

GRANDMA, I MISSED YOU!!!
HAHA.
SHE'S STILL A KID
KATA KATA

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HOW HAVE YOU BEEN? I REALLY MISSED YOU.
HUG
HEH HEH.

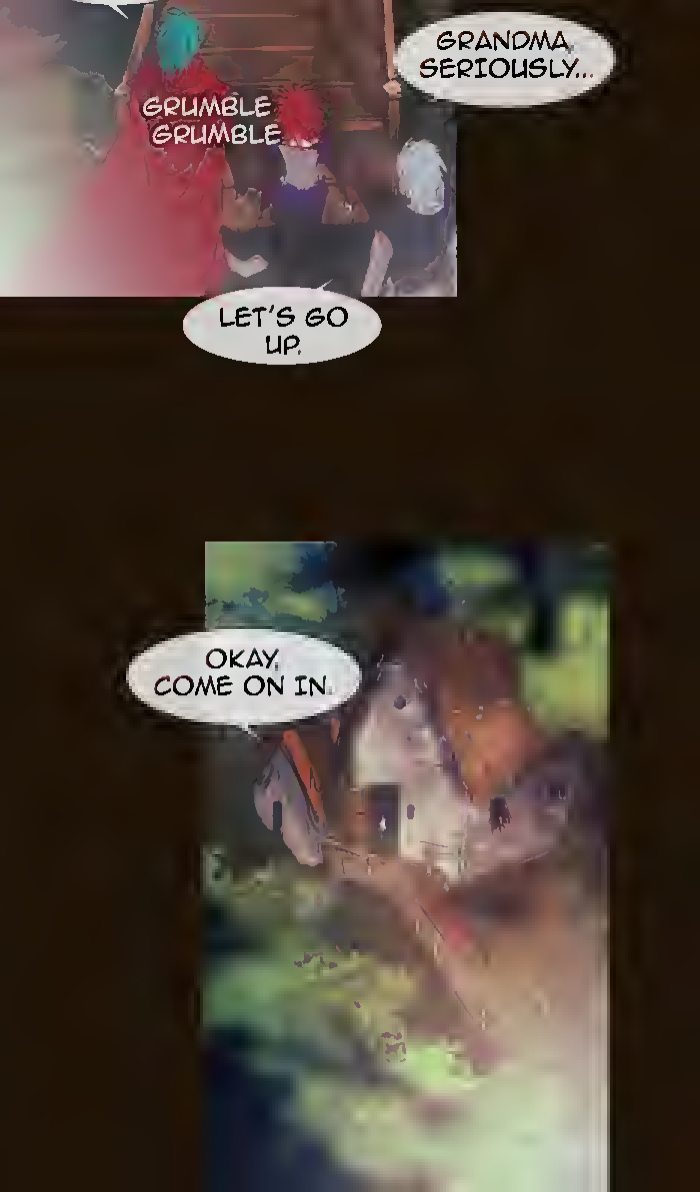
YEAH, YEAH.
HELLO, GRANDMOTHER.
IT'S BEEN A LONG TIME
OHHH, YOU ALL CAME TOGETHER
YOU'VE ALL GROWN UP SO MUCH.
WOW, I ALMOST COULDN'T RECOGNIZE YOU, ENZ. YOU BECAME SO MATURE

AHAHAHA
SCRATCH
I'VE GOTTEN A LOT TALLER, DIDN'T I?
EHH? YOU'RE CARING FOR ENZ? WHAT ABOUT ME?
YOU LOOK THE EXACT SAME AS BEFORE. WELL, YOU DO LOOK LIKE A LADY A BIT.

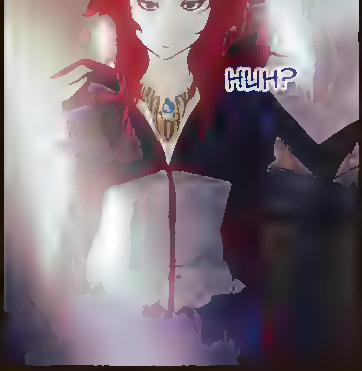
COME ON.
HAHAHAHA.
OH, MY.
IT LOOKS LIKE
YOU'VE GROWN
A LOT TOO,
DRAGON LADY.
?
?
?
I'M ALREADY FULLY
GROWN. YOU THINK
I WOULD GROW
ANY MORE?

I'M NOT TALKING ABOUT YOUR HEIGHT I'M TALKING ABOUT THIS. YOU'RE GONNA HAVE NO PROBLEM GIVING BIRTH
RUB RUB
SEEING YOU WEAR CLOTHES LIKE THIS, IT MUST BE GREAT TO BE YOUNG.

GRANDMA, WHAT ARE YOU DOING?!!! IT'S EMBARRASSING!!!
OH, MY!
ENZ IS HERE, TOO...
WHAT DID I DO? I'M JUST HAPPY TO SEE YOU ALL.
OKAY, LET'S GO INSIDE NOW. YOU GUYS NEED TO UNPACK YOUR BAGS.
CREAK
CREAK
EXCUSE US.


GRANDMA, SERIOUSLY...
GRUMBLE GRUMBLE...
LET'S GO UP.
OKAY, COME ON IN.

OH, MY HOUSE IS SO MESSY, HUH? IT'S ALWAYS LIKE THIS, SO PLEASE UNDERSTAND
SSH
I KNOW.



BUT, NOTHING CHANGED SINCE 2 YEARS AGO

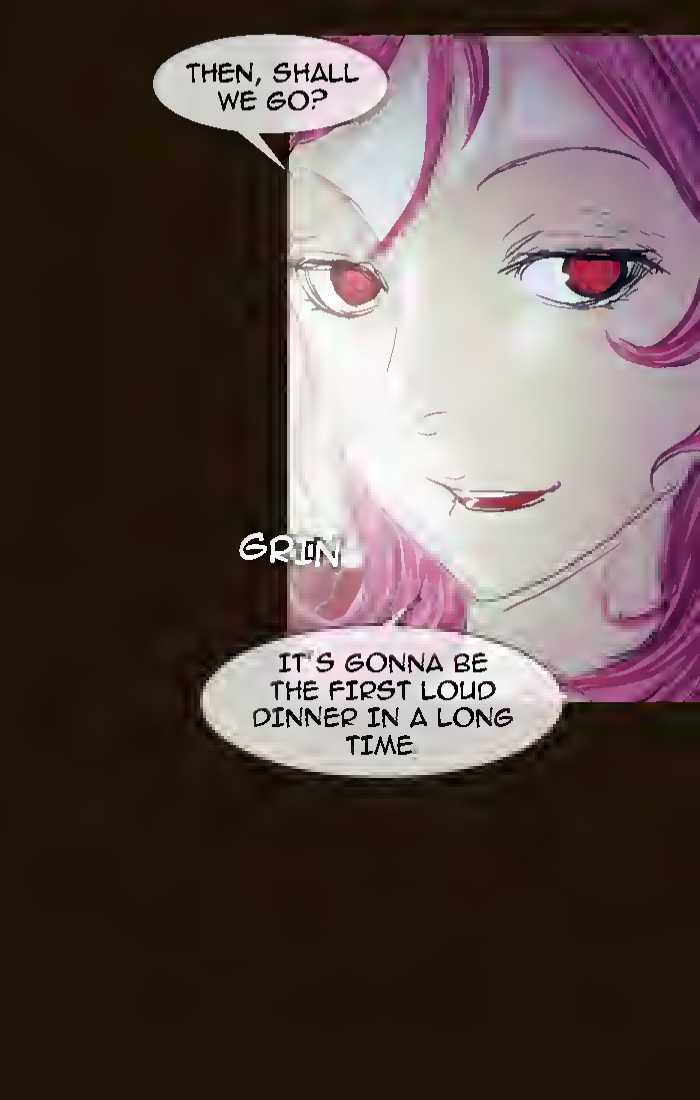
IT'S EXACTLY THE SAME AS BEFORE.
WHAT IS THERE TO CHANGE? I'M JUST AN OLD WOMAN WHO LIVES BY HERSELF.
HAHAHAHA
DON'T YOU GET BORED?
THIS IS COMFORTABLE FOR ME NOW. I'M GONNA GET DINNER READY, SO GO REST FOR A BIT. AH, LEAVE YOUR STUFF WHEREVER YOU PLEASE.

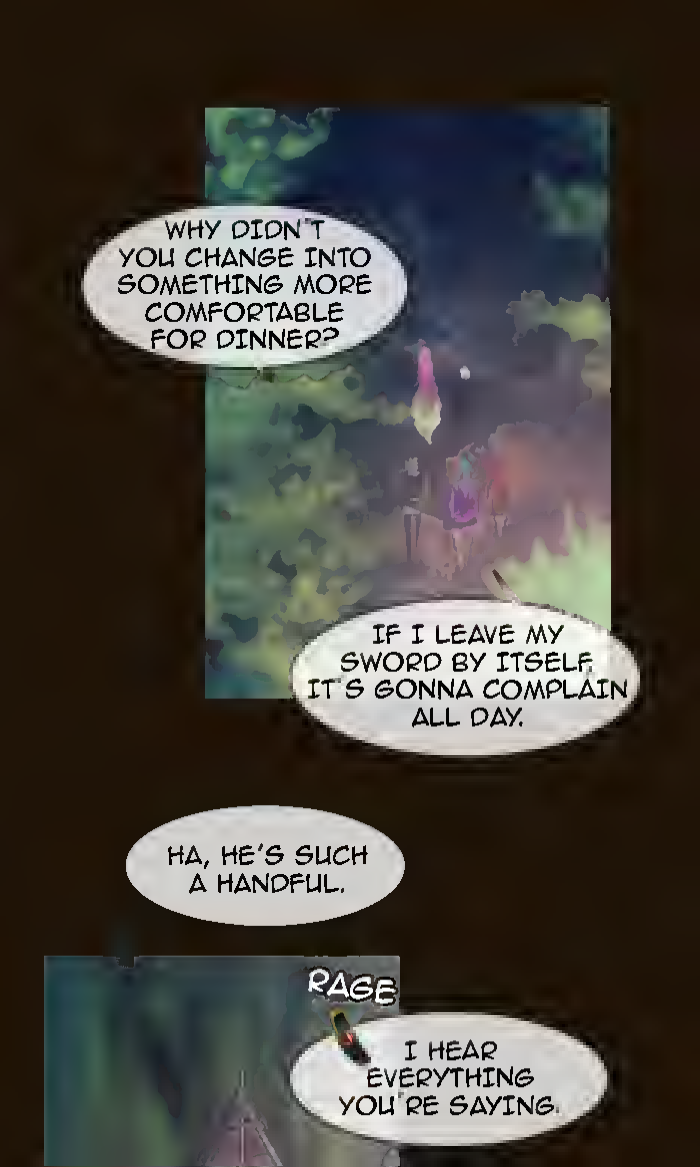
OKAY. WANT TO HAVE A LOOK AROUND?
CREAK
WHERE ARE WE GONNA GO? I'M KIND OF TIRED RIGHT NOW...
SHOULD WE GO WITH JUST THE TWO OF US? THIS PLACE IS SMALL, SO IT'S HARD TO STAY HERE FOR A LONG TIME.
KNOCK KNOCK KNOCK

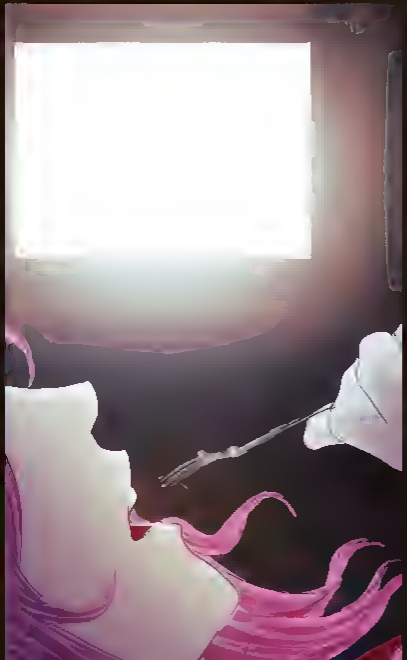
HUH?
AM I INTERRUPTING?
SSH
L...LADY WENDRA?!!!

WHY HAVE YOU COME ALL THE WAY HERE? I WAS GONNA GO FIND YOU SOON.
IT'S FINE. I HEARD YOU WERE COMING, SO I STOPPED BY.
EXCUSE ME, BUT WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN US FOR DINNER?
I ALSO WANT TO HEAR ABOUT WHAT HAPPENED IN ALL THAT TIME.
WOW!
LADY WENDRA...

IT WOULD BE MY HONOR. I'LL BE RIGHT THERE.
THANK YOU VERY MUCH. COME WITH US KEITA.
HEH HEH
THANK YOU FOR THE INVITE, WENDRA.


THEN, SHALL WE GO?
GRIN
IT'S GONNA BE THE FIRST LOUD DINNER IN A LONG TIME


WHY DIDN'T YOU CHANGE INTO SOMETHING MORE COMFORTABLE FOR DINNER?
IF I LEAVE MY SWORD BY ITSELF, IT'S GONNA COMPLAIN ALL DAY.
HA, HE'S SUCH A HANDFUL.
RAGE
I HEAR EVERYTHING YOU'RE SAYING.



BUT, THE VILLAGE HAS BECOME REALLY QUIET
YEAH.
YOU'RE RIGHT. IT USED TO BE LOUDER BEFORE...
AFTER THE WAR, THE YOUNG PEOPLE WENT TO THE CITY, ONE BY ONE...

SIGH...
ALL THAT'S LEFT ARE THE OLD ONES LIKE ME
THAT'S THAT. HAVE YOU FOUND ETHERMASK YET?
AH...
CLANK
CLANK

UMM... AS THE DAYS PASS, THERE ARE MORE AND MORE ETHERMASK IMPERSONATORS, SO IT'S GETTING HARDER TO FIND HIM
NOM NOM
AND IT'S HARD FOR US TO DO OUR JOB BECAUSE THERE ARE SO MANY PEOPLE WHO COULDN'T ADJUST TO THE PEACEFUL TIMES, AND BECAME THIEVES. THE IMPOSTORS BEING STRONG DOESN'T HELP EITHER
BECAUSE OF THEM, IT'S HARD TO EVEN KNOW IF ETHERMASK IS STILL ACTIVE
RATTLE RATTLE
GIVE ME

SOME BREAD PLEASE?
WE NEED SOME PRECISE INFORMATION, BUT GETTING IT ISN'T EASY.
SO, WE'RE THINKING ABOUT GOING AROUND WHERE WE WERE WITH ETHERMASK.
ETHERMASK FAILED 8 YEARS AGO BECAUSE HE WORKED BY HIMSELF, SO HE'S GONNA NEED US. I'M SURE THERE WILL BE SOME KINDS OF SIGNS SHOWING THAT ETHERMASK WAS LOOKING FOR US.

AND MY FRIEND SAID HE WOULD HELP US FIND ETHERMASK, SO I'M SURE SOME GOOD INFO WILL TURN UP IF WE WAIT
INFO...

I DON'T KNOW IF THIS WILL HELP, BUT...
MM...
DO YOU GUYS KNOW ABOUT THE TICY LIBRARY IN THE MAGIC CITY?
AH... THE LIBRARY WILL ALL BOOKS... THE PLACE THEY CALL THE WORLD'S DOOR?

WE WENT THERE WITH ETHERMASK WHEN WE WERE YOUNGER.
YES.
BUT, IT'S NOT ONLY BOOKS THAT ARE THERE.
THAT PLACE IS ALSO A PLACE WHERE ALL INFORMATION IN THE WORLD IS GATHERED.
GRIN

I KNOW THE DIRECTOR WELL, SO I'LL WRITE AN INTRODUCTION LETTER.

IT WILL HELP IN FINDING ETHERMASK.

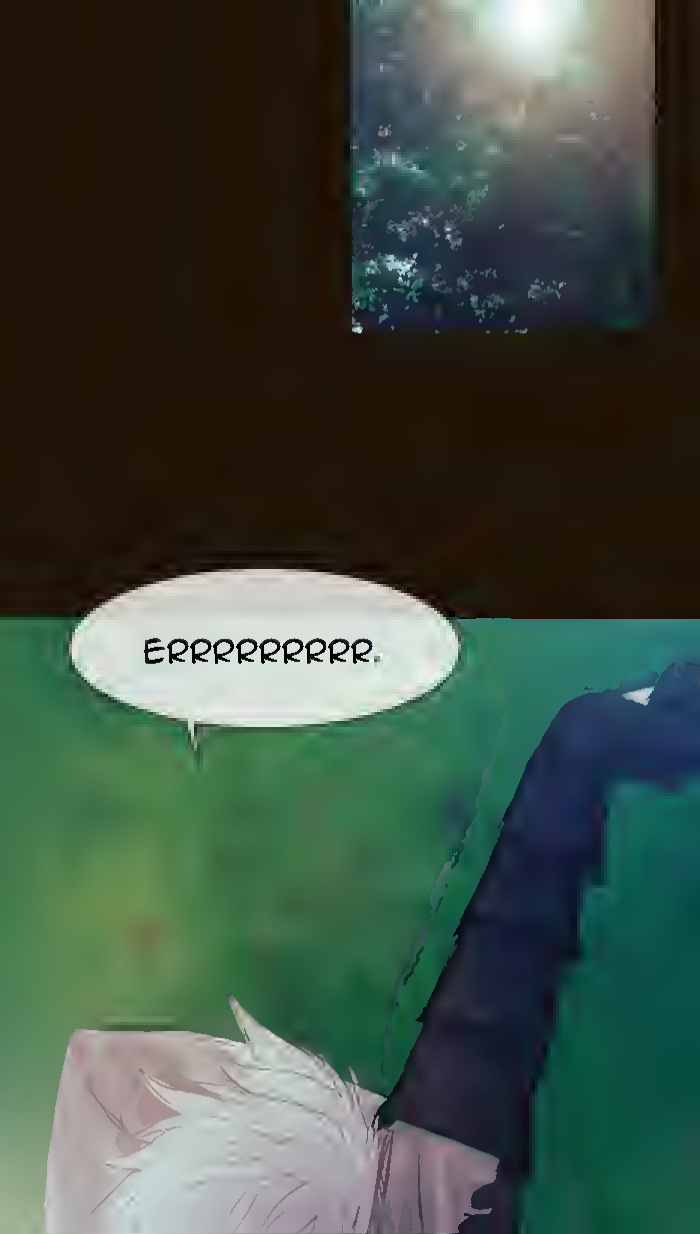
?

SMILE

THANK YOU SO MUCH, LADY WENDRA

LET'S STOP WITH ALL THIS DEEP TALK, AND TALK ABOUT HOW YOU'VE ALL BEEN.
THAT'S MY ONLY JOY OF BEING HERE SINCE THERE ISN'T MUCH TRAFFIC HERE.
I ONLY REMEMBER CATCHING THIEVES BECAUSE OF IREMY'S MONEY SPENDING PROBLEM...

HEY, ENZ!!
HAHAHAHA
I...IT'S THE TRUTH! WHAT DO YOU WANT ME TO DO ABOUT IT?
I REMEMBER QUITE WELL, TOO.
BOTH OF YOU!!!


ERRRRRRRRR.

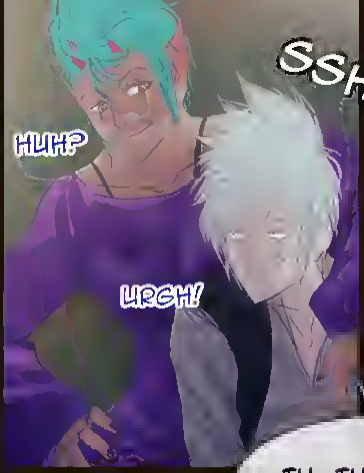
AH~, WHAT A GOOD MEAL. THIS PLACE HAS THE BEST FOOD.
I HAD A GREAT MEAL.
HEH HEH...
ENZ, SIS!!!
IS FOOD THAT GOOD?

I HAVE SOMETHING TO DO WITH LADY WENDRA, SO YOU GUYS GO FIRST. I'LL GO WITH GRANDMA LATER.
I'LL BE DONE SOON.
YEAH? OKAY, COME AFTER YOU FINISH.

RAGE
IREMY DON'T MAKE ANY MISTAKES TO LADY WENDRA
YOU THINK I'M YOU?!
STROKE
I HOPE YOU TRIP AND FALL!!!
WHAT DID I DO WRONG...?
HEH HEH HEH

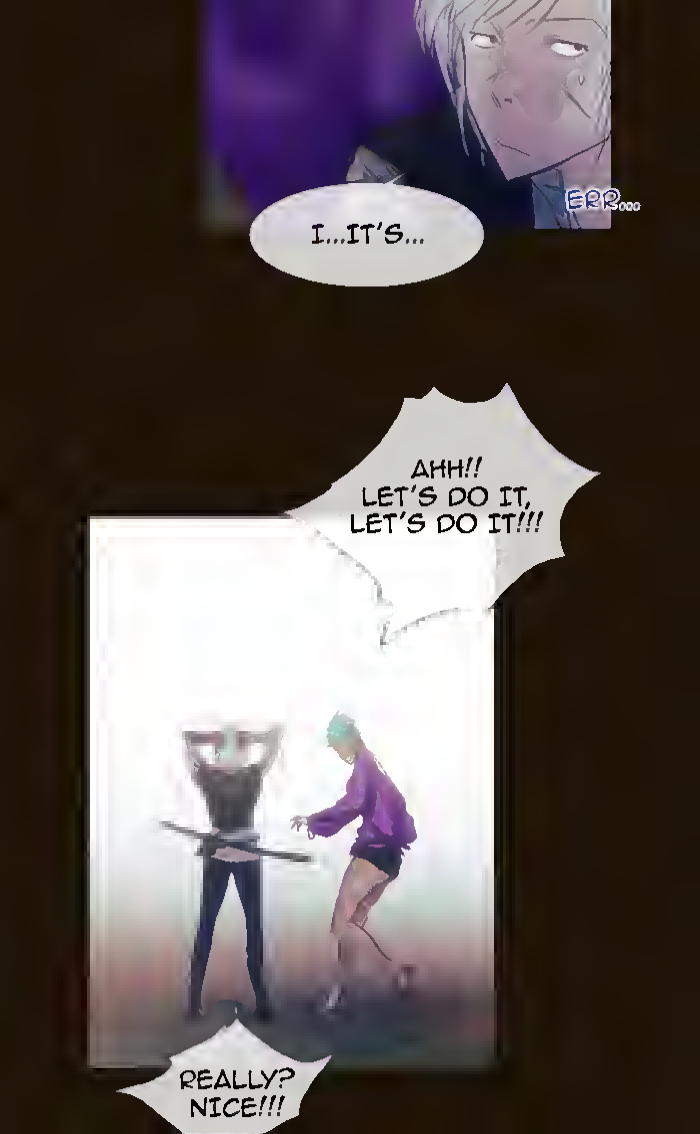
WHENEVER SHE COMES, SHE GOES BY HERSELF. WHAT IS SHE DOING?
DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT.
I DON'T KNOW. I'M SURE IT'S NOTHING.
WELL. WANNA SPAR FOR A BIT TO DIGEST? HOW ABOUT IT?
TAP
FLINCH
WHAT? SPAR?

AREN'T YOU TIRED FROM RETURNING HOME? HOW ABOUT GETTING SOME REST? OR GO FOR A WALK...
AHAHAHA.
SNEAK SNEAK
YOU'VE BEEN AVOIDING SPARRING LATELY.
IS IT BECAUSE YOU'RE SCARED OF LOSING TO ME?

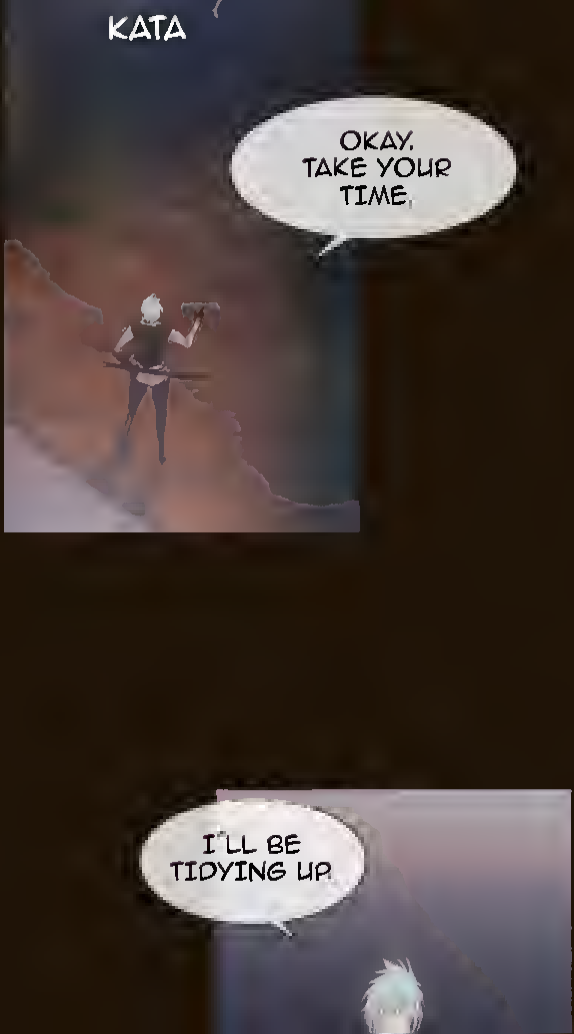


TH...THAT'S NOT WHAT IT IS.

WHAT IS IT, THEN? HUH? TELL ME.


ERR...
I...IT'S...
AHH!!
LET'S DO IT,
LET'S DO IT!!!
REALLY?
NICE!!!

I'M GONNA BRING MY SWORD, SO I'LL SEE YOU WHERE WE ALWAYS SPAR.
SCRATCH SCRATCH
I'LL BE QUICK.
O...OKAY...
GO ON FIRST WITHOUT ME.


KATA
OKAY.
TAKE YOUR
TIME.
I'LL BE
TIDYING UP.

WAVE
WAVE
WELL..
DROOP
HEH?

WHAT'S WRONG?
METHEW HAS GOTTEN MUCH STRONGER, SO WOULDN'T IT HELP YOU IF YOU SPARRED WITH HER? IS THERE SOMETHING THAT BOTHERS YOU?
NO, WELL...
000000

IT WILL BE OF GREAT HELP TO ME. BUT...

SSH

IT'S BECAUSE OF THE STATE OF HER BODY.

METHEW'S BODY STATE? AH... I SEE
LU LU LA LA~
I CAN'T GO EASY ON HER BECAUSE SHE'S GOTTEN SO MUCH STRONGER I HAVE TO GO WITH ALL I'VE GOT...
THEN SHE'S GONNA GET ALL EXCITED AND RUN WILD
I DON'T THINK SHE CAN COMPLETELY CONTROL IT YET, BUT IF WE'RE GONNA DO IT, MIGHT AS WELL DO IT RIGHT NO?

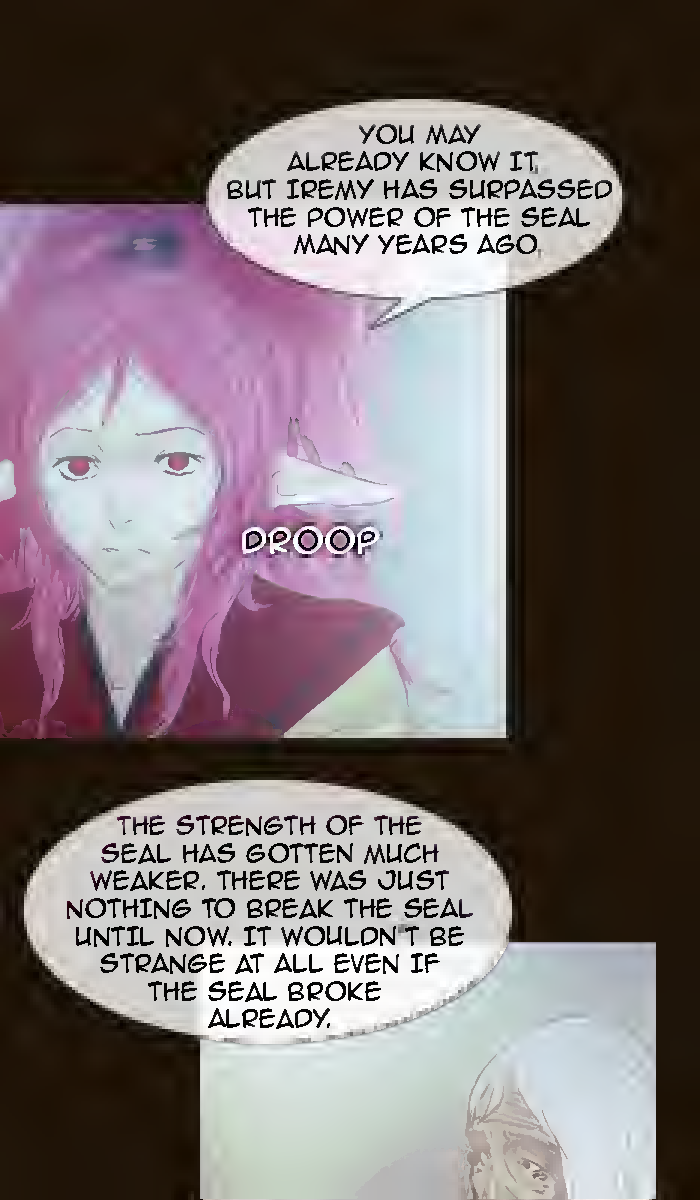
SSH
HEH HEH.
WHAT THE? SO, SHE ENDED UP CATCHING UP TO YOU. YOU'RE TRYING TO HIDE THE TRUTH.
I TOLD YOU THAT'S NOT TRUE.
STUMP
STUMP

HEH HEH, WHATEVER YOU SAY.
HEY, YOU'RE ANNOYING. I SAID IT'S NOT TRUE.
HEH. I GOT IT, SO LET'S GO.
HUMMM

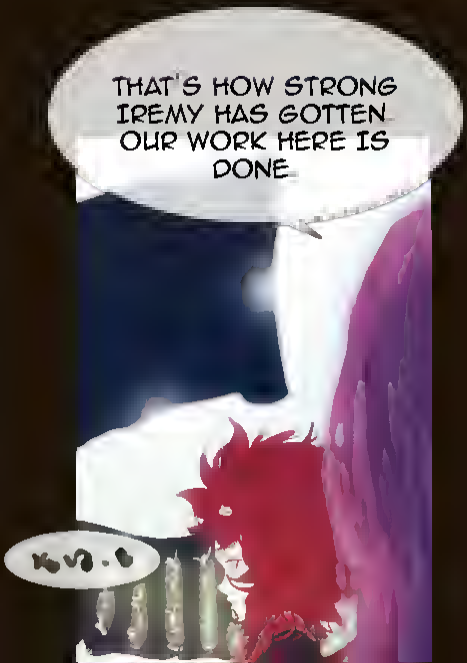
SWOOSH

MURMUR
MURMUR

HUMMM
A.J.M.
I BELIEVE THIS WILL BE THE LAST TIME.
STARTLE
HUH? WHAT IS THAT SUPPOSED TO MEAN...?

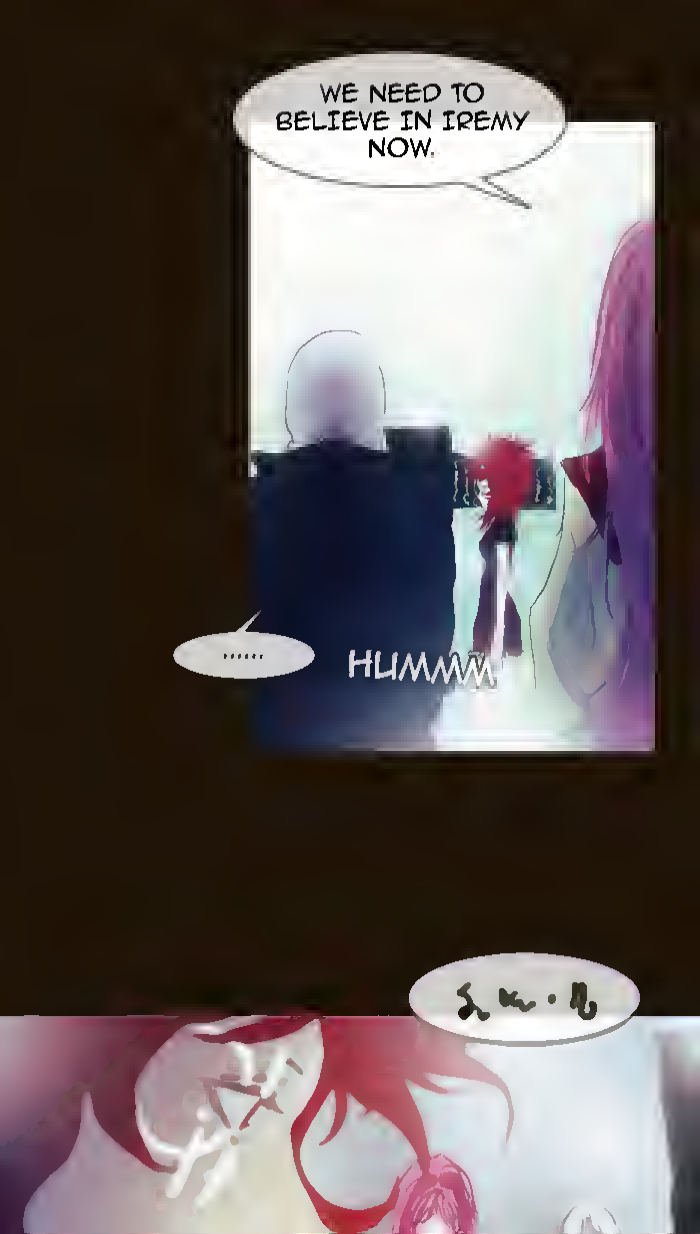

YOU MAY ALREADY KNOW IT, BUT IREMY HAS SURPASSED THE POWER OF THE SEAL MANY YEARS AGO.
DROOP
THE STRENGTH OF THE SEAL HAS GOTTEN MUCH WEAKER. THERE WAS JUST NOTHING TO BREAK THE SEAL UNTIL NOW. IT WOULDN'T BE STRANGE AT ALL EVEN IF THE SEAL BROKE ALREADY.

TH...THAT'S...


THAT'S HOW STRONG IREMY HAS GOTTEN
OUR WORK HERE IS DONE
KYA.

HUMMMM
I AM.

WE CAN ONLY STAND BY AND WATCH NOW
PHAT
PHAT


WE NEED TO BELIEVE IN IREMY NOW.
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HUMMM

MURMUR
MURMUR
AND WHAT WE HAVE DONE IN THE PAST...
I HOPE THAT IT NEVER... WAS A WASTE OF TIME

TO BE CONTINUED..

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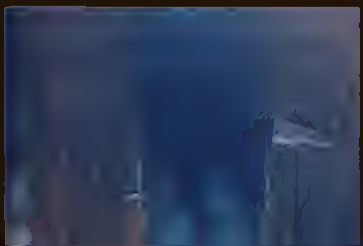
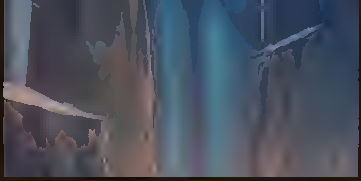
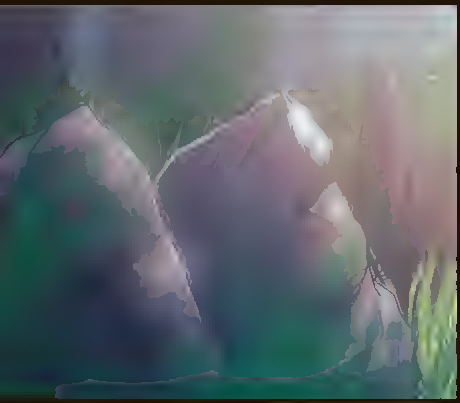
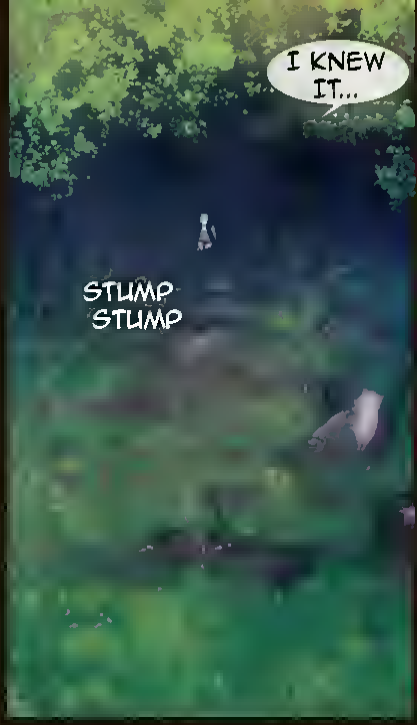






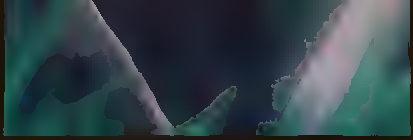


ONLY THE GRASS HAS GROWN A LOT IN A COUPLE OF YEARS.

SSH

WELL, I GUESS THAT'S BECAUSE NOBODY USES THIS PLACE.

BUT, THERE ARE STILL TRACES OF THE PAST.



I REMEMBER THIS CLEARLY.
RUB

METHEW WASN'T THAT GOOD BEFORE, BUT SHE WAS STRONG.

SO THE ROCKS AND TREES WOULD BREAK HERE AND THERE AS WE SPARRED.

I DON'T HAVE ANY PROBLEMS WHEN IT COMES TO STRENGTH WITH OTHER PEOPLE, BUT I'VE ALWAYS HAD A HARD TIME WITH METHEW.

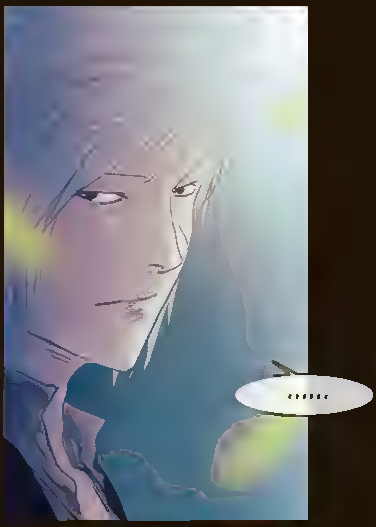
LEAN
SHE WAS AMAZING.
SHE MAY ONLY BE HALF, BUT SHE'S STILL A DRAGON, SO THERE WILL BE A BIG DIFFERENCE WITH HUMANS... SHE ALSO BECAME A LOT STRONGER IN A SHORT AMOUNT OF TIME.
YOU NEVER KNOW. SHE MIGHT CATCH UP TO YOU IF YOU GET LAZY.

AND YOU SURE THE STATE OF HER BODY WAS AN EXCUSE, AND IT WASN'T ACTUALLY BECAUSE YOU'RE SCARE OF LOSING TO HER?
WINCE
WHAT?
DRIP

MMMM...
YOU SEEM SUSPICIOUS.
TH...THEN SHOULD I STRETCH A BIT BEFORE METHEW GETS HERE?
YAHH!...
I'M RIGHT, AREN'T I?

SH, SHUT UP!!

SHING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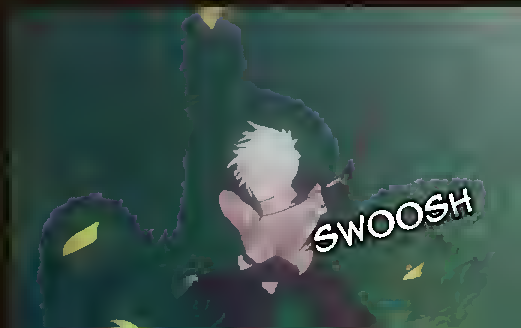
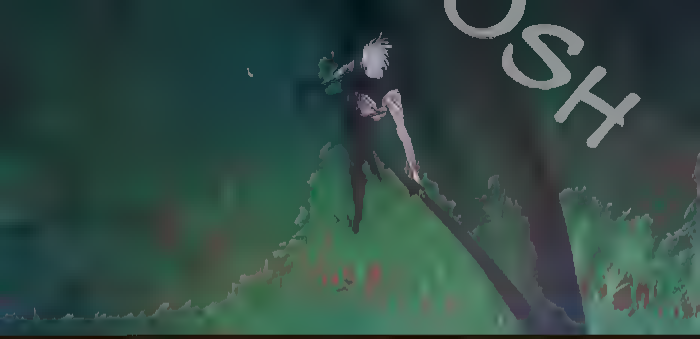

SWOOSH

HELP!!!
SWISH

VOOSH

WHOO

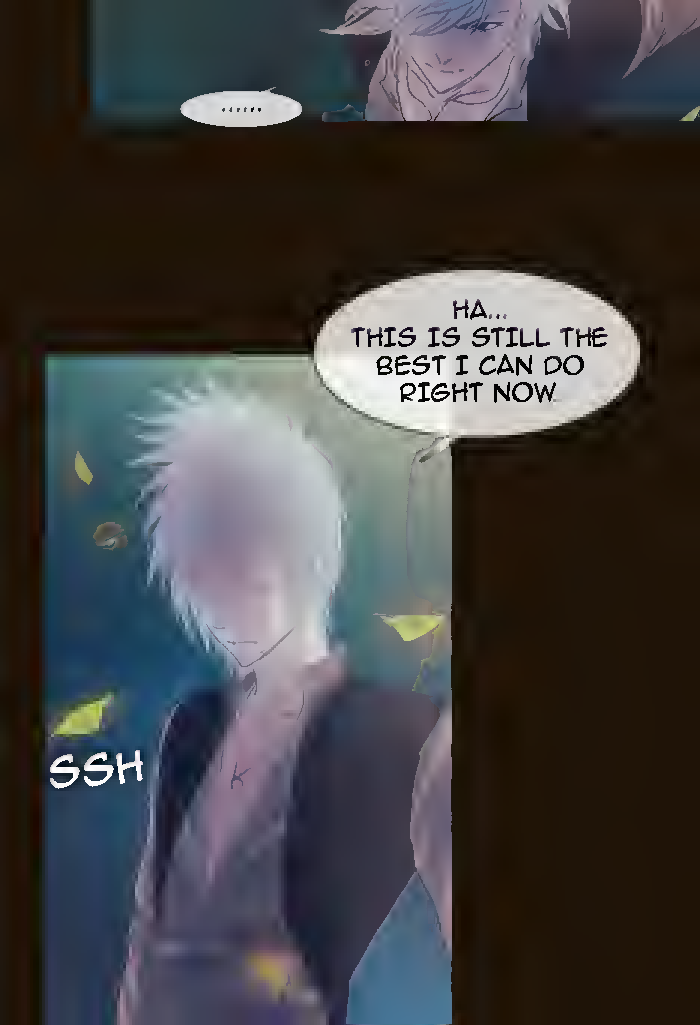

OSH

PHIT

CRACKLE

VOOSH

TAP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HA...
THIS IS STILL THE BEST I CAN DO RIGHT NOW.
SSH

BUT YOU'VE GOTTEN SO MUCH BETTER THAN BEFORE. DON'T BE SO DISCOURAGED.
I'M FAR FROM REACHING MY GOAL. IT STILL FEELS LIKE I'M CUTTING, INSTEAD OF BLOWING AWAY.
STILL, YOU CAN NOW BLOW WIND UP TO ABOUT TWO STEPS.

THAT IS ENOUGH TO BE AN AMAZING SKILL.
WITHOUT BEING ABLE TO BE SEEN BY THE NAKED EYE, IT'S LIKE THE SWORD PRETTY MUCH DOUBLES IN LENGTH.
MM...
SSH
IF YOU USE IT WELL, YOU CAN BEAT YOUR OPPONENT BEFORE THEY CAN EVEN FIGURE YOUR SKILL OUT

THERE ARE NO GREAT SKILLS LIKE THIS. YOU EVEN EASILY BEAT THE IMPOSTOR WITH THIS.
YOU HAVE IT ALL WRITTEN ON THE NOTE. IF YOU JUST GET USED TO IT, THE RANGE GETTING LONGER WON'T BE A PROBLEM...
THAT'S TRUE, BUT I CAN'T BE CONTENT WITH JUST THIS.
WHOOSH

HOW MUCH MORE DO I NEED TO DO TO CATCH UP TO HIM?
THERE'S STILL SO MUCH OF A GAP LEFT...
SWISH
EIGHT YEARS HAVE PASSED BUT I STILL CAN'T REACH TIMEH'S SHADOW.

GRIT

HE WAS A TRUE GENIUS.
THE STRONGER I GET,
I CAN ONLY REALIZE
HOW GREAT HE WAS.

ENZ...

THE GAP IN OUR
TALENT LEVELS.

AND IT'S ALSO WRITTEN IN THE NOTEBOOK...
THAT THIS SKILL CAN EVEN CUT MOUNTAINS.

WHEN I FIRST READ THE NOTEBOOK, I THOUGHT IT WAS COMPLETE NONSENSE.
BUT NOW... I THINK IT'S POSSIBLE IF IT WAS TIMEH
KRG...

DRIP
IT'S REAL... WHAT I THOUGHT WAS NONSENSE...
IT MAY BE A BIT EXAGGERATED, BUT IT MUST HAVE BEEN POSSIBLE.
...?

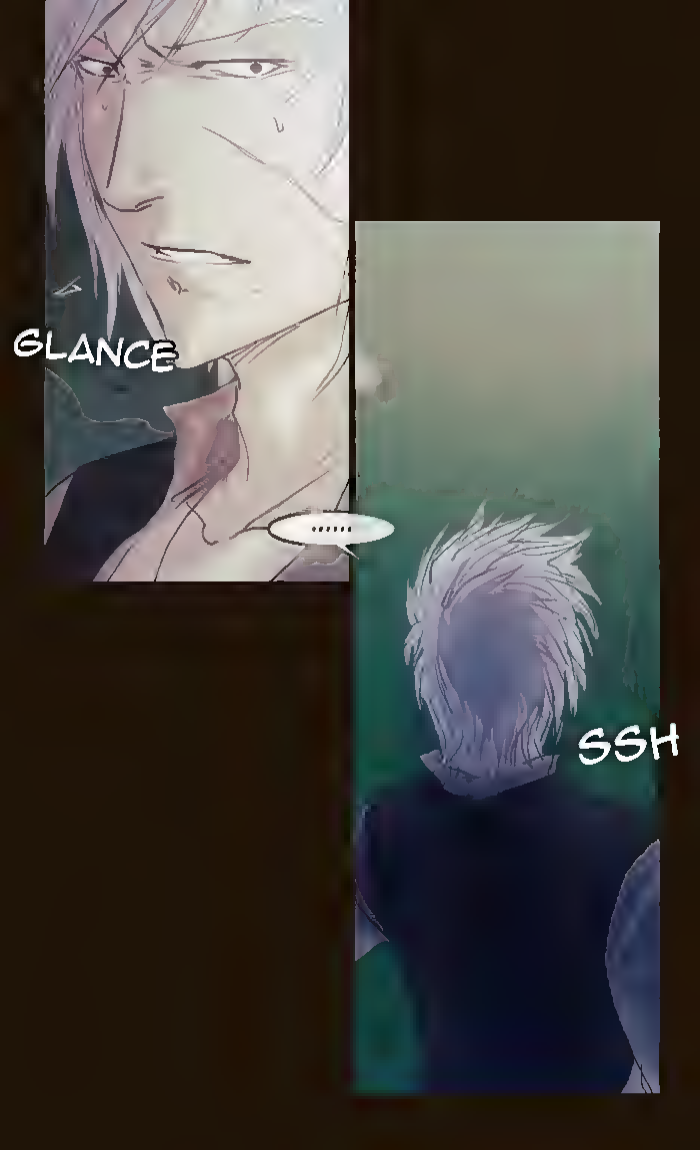
I SAW IT IN THE AIR BECAUSE OF METHEW 8 YEARS AGO.
THERE WERE VERY SHARP WIND-LIKE TRACES IN THE MIDST OF ALL THOSE BODIES...
I'M TALKING ABOUT TIMEH'S SKILLS.
YOU MIGHT NOT HAVE SEEN THOSE BECAUSE YOU WEREN'T IN A SITUATION TO SEE THEM, BUT I SAW EVERYTHING.

.....
GULP
HIS POWER...
FOR A WHILE, I FORGOT ABOUT IT BECAUSE I DIDN'T KNOW THE MEANING BEHIND THE TRACES, BUT WHEN YOU STARTED TO PRACTICE THIS SKILL, IT CAME TO ME. THE GREATNESS OF THAT SKILL...
HOW... GREAT WAS IT?

I'M OKAY, SO DON'T HESITATE AND JUST TELL ME.

O...OKAY.
I CAN'T TELL HOW MUCH POWER HE USED TO LEAVE THE TRACES,
BUT THE TRACES WERE...

ABOUT DOUBLE THE SIZE OF THIS PLACE.
WHAT?!
D...DOUBLE?


GLANCE
.....
SSH

OF THIS PLACE...?

SIGH...
SHOULD I NOT HAVE SAID IT?
DROOP

ENZ!!

STEP

I CAME AS FAST AS I COULD
BUT THIS PLACE IS PRETTY FAR DID YOU WAIT FOR A LONG TIME?

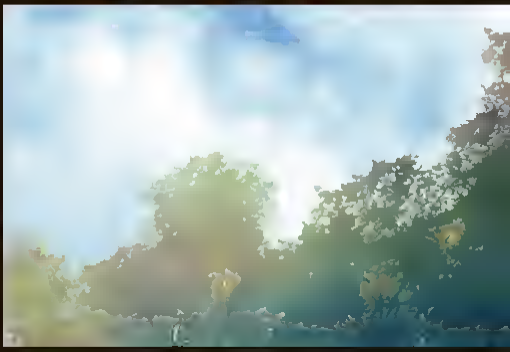
METHEW... CAN WE START SPARRING RIGHT AWAY?

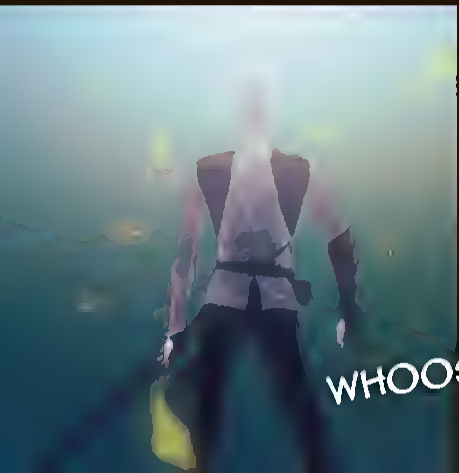
WHAT?

Y...YEAH. I'M OKAY BECAUSE I RAN HERE... WHAT'S THE MATTER?
HMM?
UNLIKE EARLIER, YOU LOOK PRETTY DETERMINED.
THEN, LET'S START RIGHT AWAY.

VOOSH

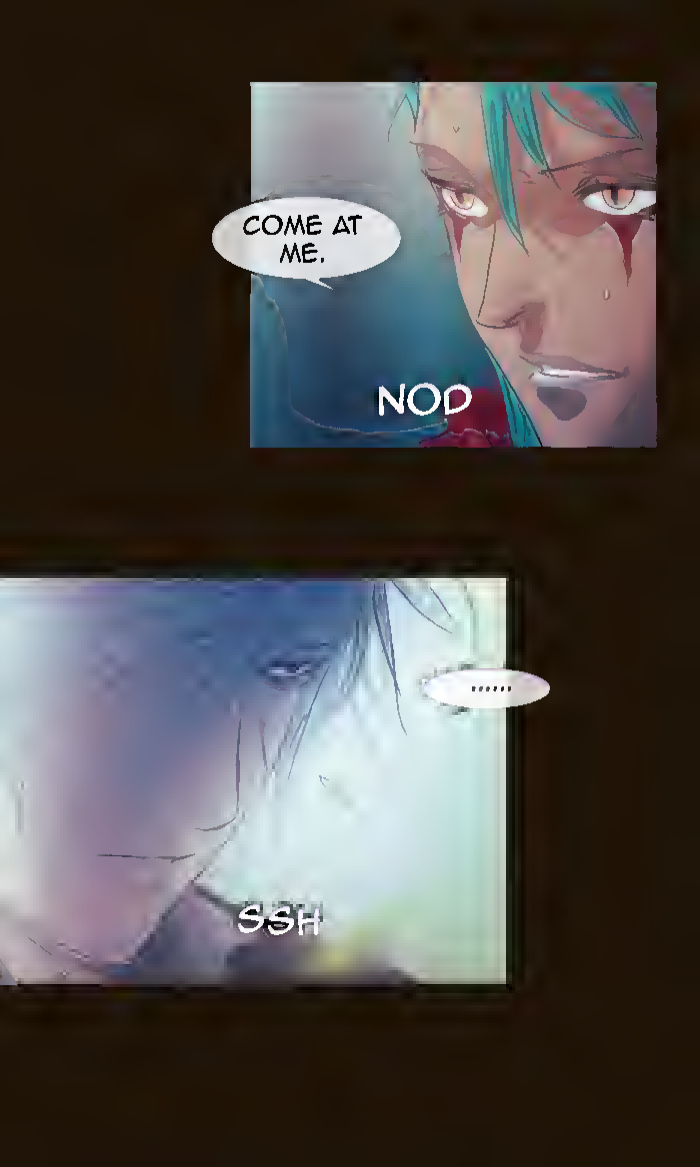
O...OKAY.




WHOOSH

.....
SHING
DID SOMETHING HAPPEN? HE'S BECOME SO SERIOUS
GULP
MM...

IT'S MAKING ME UNCOMFORTABLE...
I'LL START FIRST.


COME AT ME.
NOD
.....
SSH

THAT

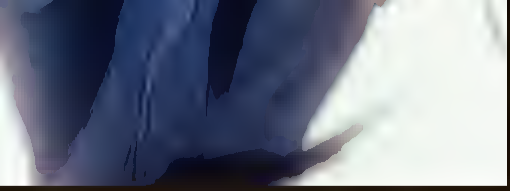
?!!!

URGH!

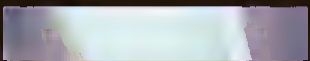
CLANK
WHAT THE? FROM THE START?!
SO INTIMIDATING!!
PH

SPIN
YOU WANT TO CHALLENGE ME IN STRENGTH?!
KA
BA
BA

BAM
CLANK
CLANK
CLANK
KRGH!!!



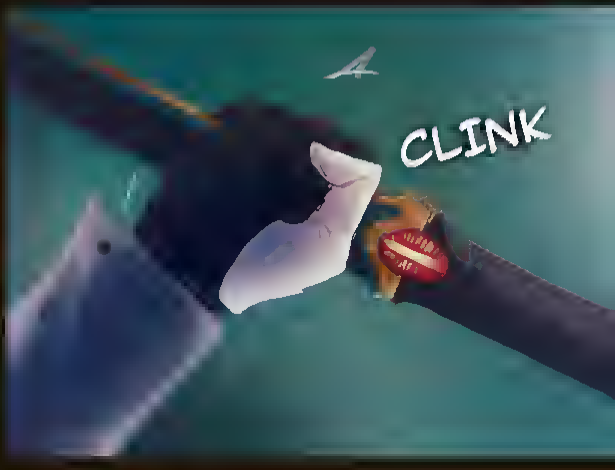
CLANK
CLANK
HUH?



SSH

AH!

STAGGER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CLINK

WHOOSH
PHAT
NO WAY!
PHT!

HYA!!!
VOOSH

KA
CHING

KRGH!!
PHAT

YOU'RE REALLY GIVING IT ALL YOU'VE GOT TODAY!
SWOOSH
I HAVEN'T LOST IN STRENGTH EVEN ONCE THESE DAYS!!

SSH
SWISH
ENZ, YOU PLANNING TO KILL HER WHILE SPARRING?!
COOL YOUR HEAD!!!

HEY, ENZ! YOU LISTENING TO ME?!
SMIRK
ENZ!!!
HEH
YEAH? YOU REALLY WANNA GO AT IT TODAY?
HUFF
TODAY'S SPAR SESSION IS REALLY GOING TO BE FUN.
HUFF

SSH
HEY, ENZ!!!
PLEASE BE QUIET. DON'T INTERRUPT ME.

CHANG
WE'RE BOTH STARTING TO HEAT UP
TO BE CONTINUED..

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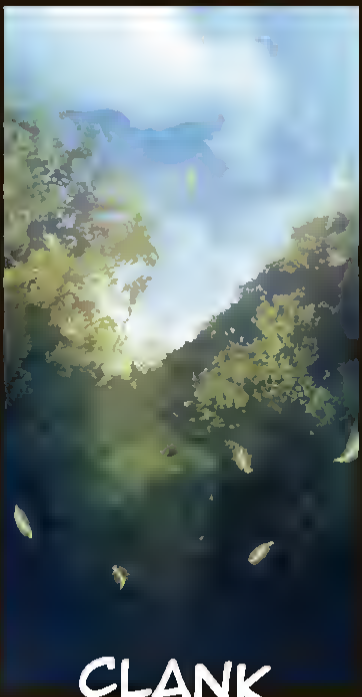

CLANK

CLANK
KA-CHING
CLANK
CLANK

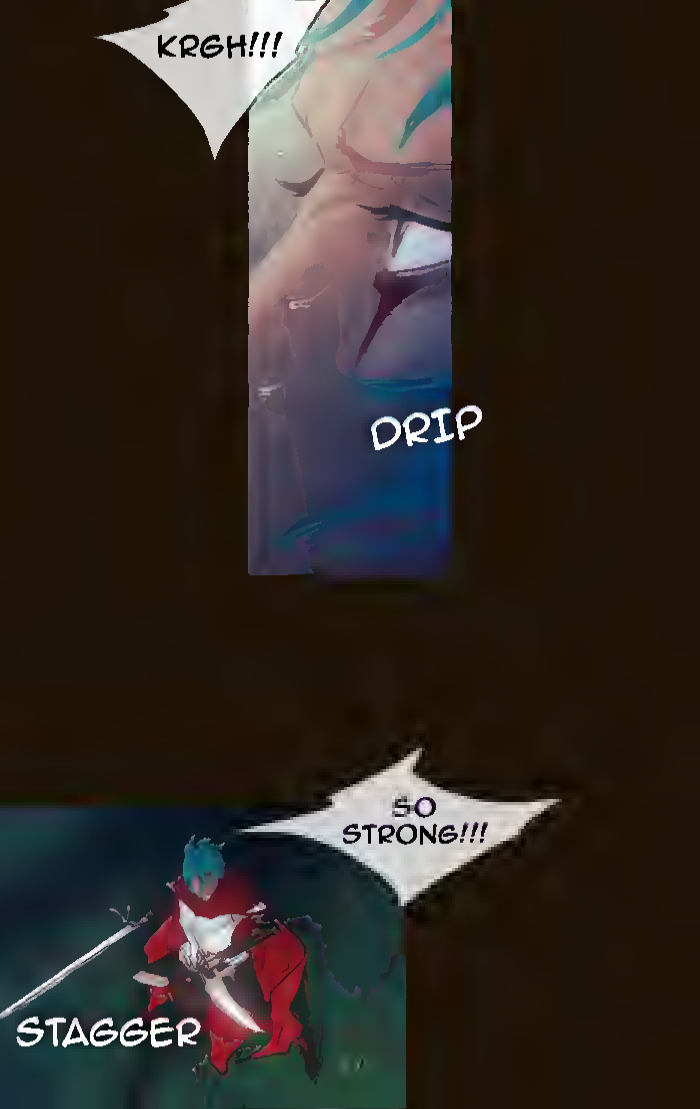
CLANK
URGH!!!
PHAT
HEUP!

CLANG

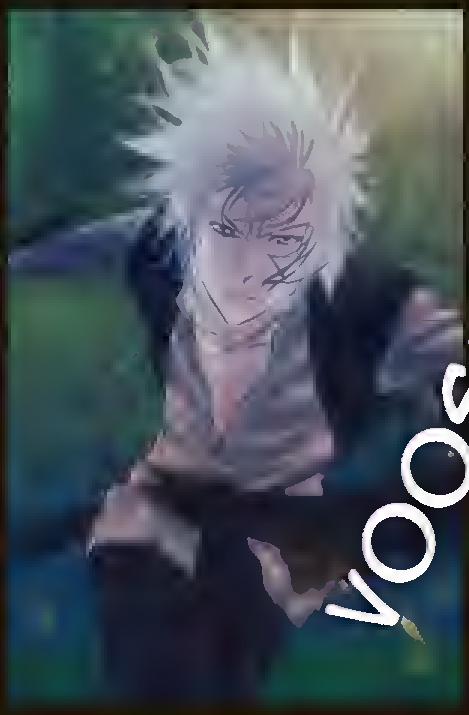
GLANCE
KA-CHING
CLANK

GRIT
KRG, THIS IS NO JOKE!!
HYAP!!!
PHAT

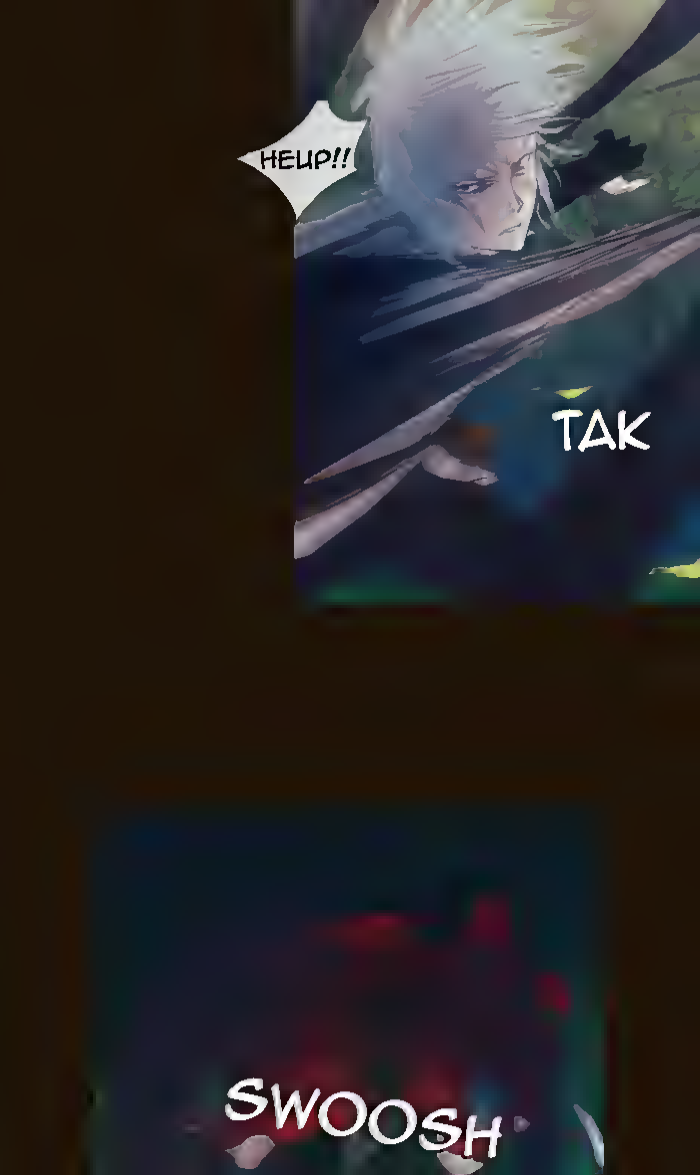
CLANK
OOF!
!!!

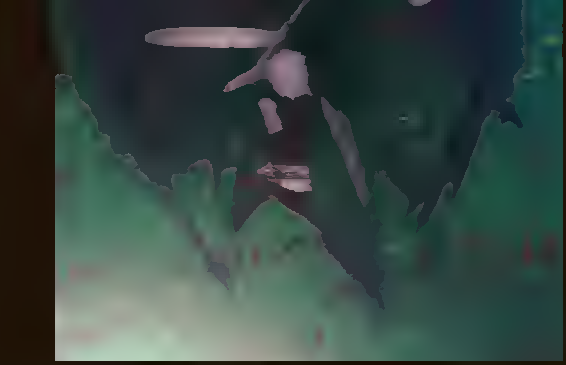

KRGH!!!
DRIP
SO STRONG!!!
STAGGER

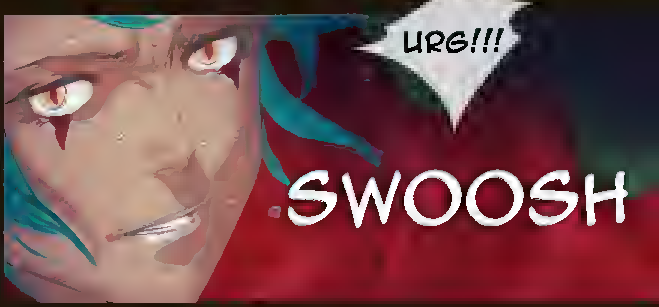
WHOOSH
GLARE

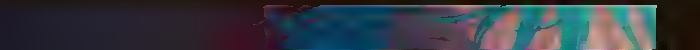

VOOSH

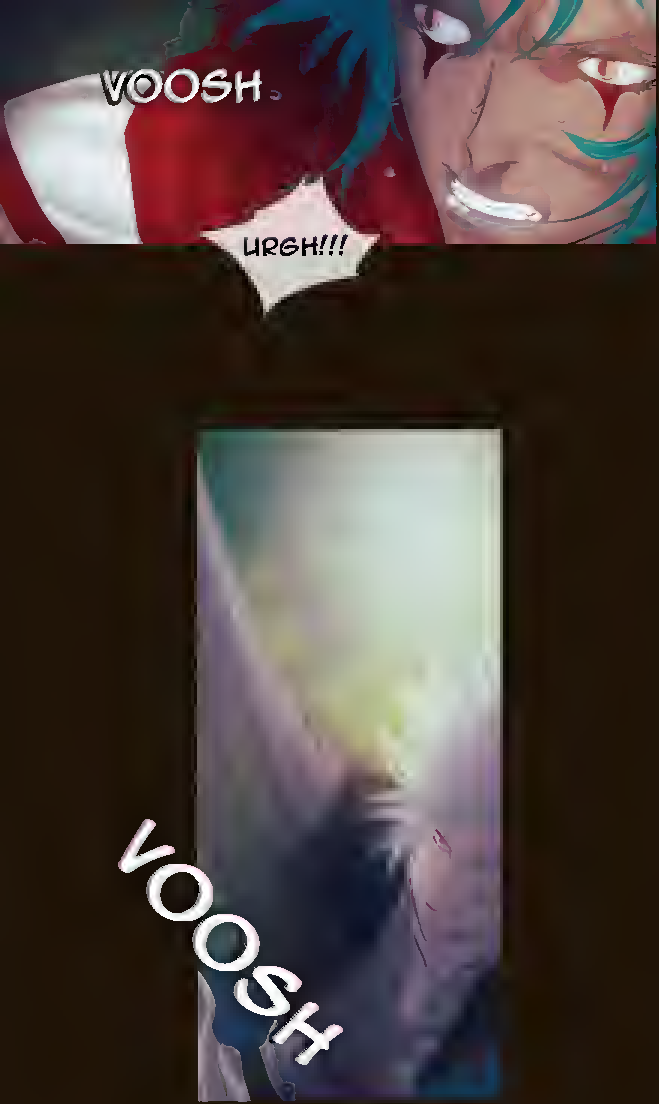
SWOOSH


HELP!!
TAK
SWOOSH



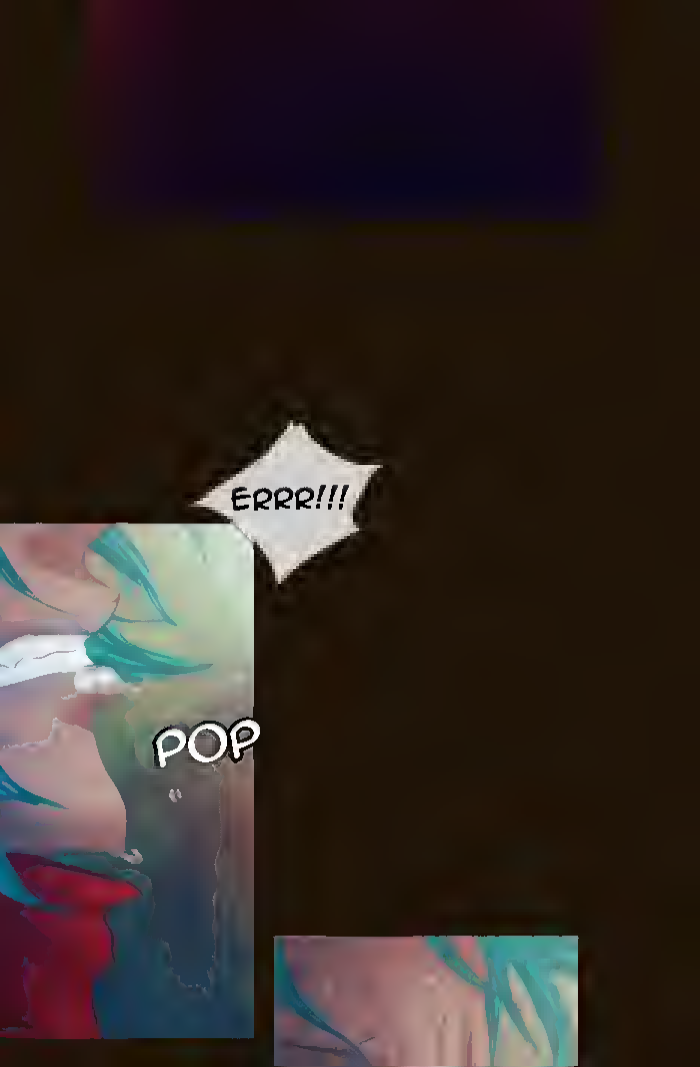

URG!!!
SWOOSH




VOOSH
URGH!!!
VOOSH

CLANK
DAMN IT!!!
KRGH!
HE'S GETTING FASTER!!
URGH!
KA-CHING

KRGH!!!
CLANK

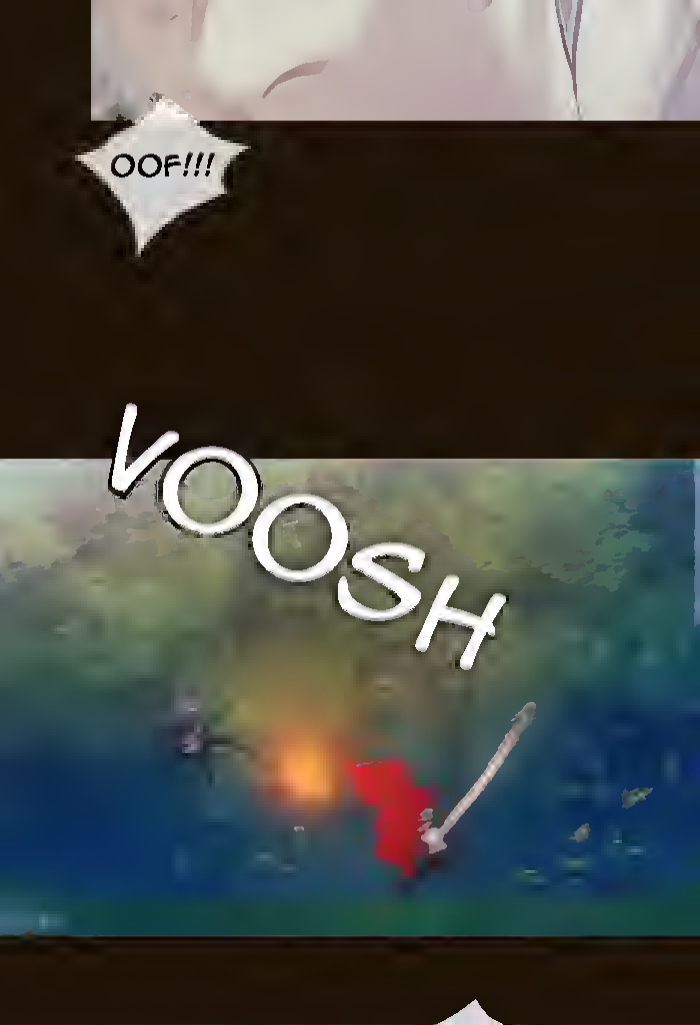

ERRR!!!
POP

POP
POP
KRGH!!!
FLINCH

CRACK
CRACK

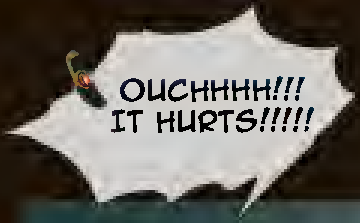
AHHHHH!!!
PHAT

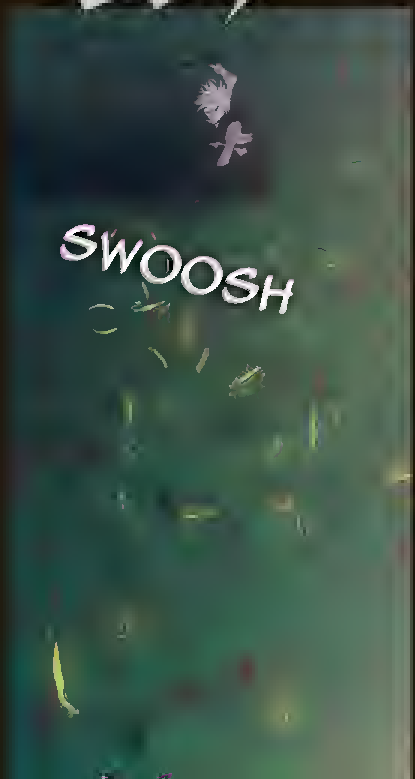
?!!!
FLINCH


OOF!!!
VOOSH

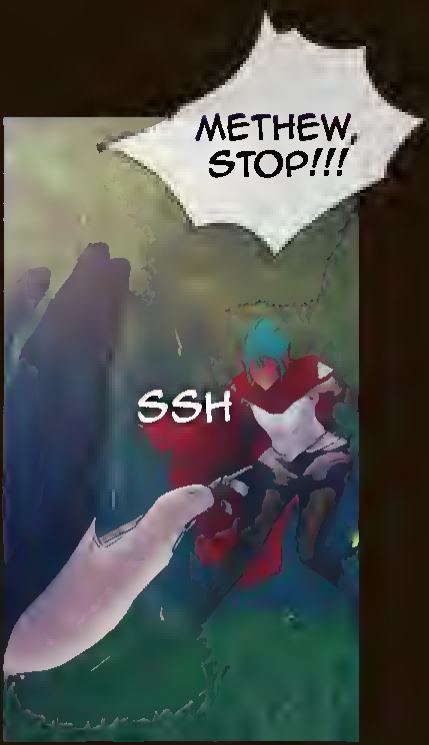
KRGH.
WHAT IS THIS
STRENGTH AND
SPEED?!!!
URGH!
TINGLE
TINGLE
CAN IT
BE...?!!!

AS EXPECTED..
THINGS ARE GOING TO GET BAD IF WE KEEP GOING.
SSH


OUCHHHH!!!
IT HURTS!!!!!


SWOOSH

KRGH!


METHEW, STOP!!!
SSH

STOP NOW, STOP!
WE'RE DONE SPARRING!!!
FLINCH
OUCH HHHHH!!!
HUH?
LET'S CALM DOWN AND TAKE A DEEP BREATH.
POP

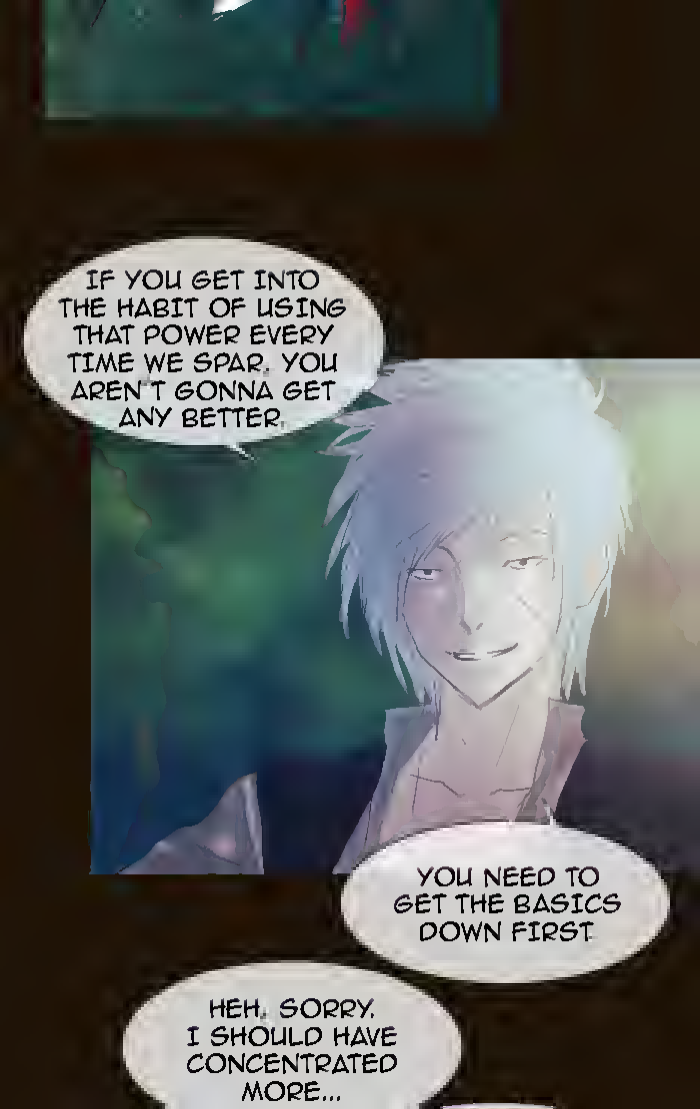
POP
AH...

FLINCH

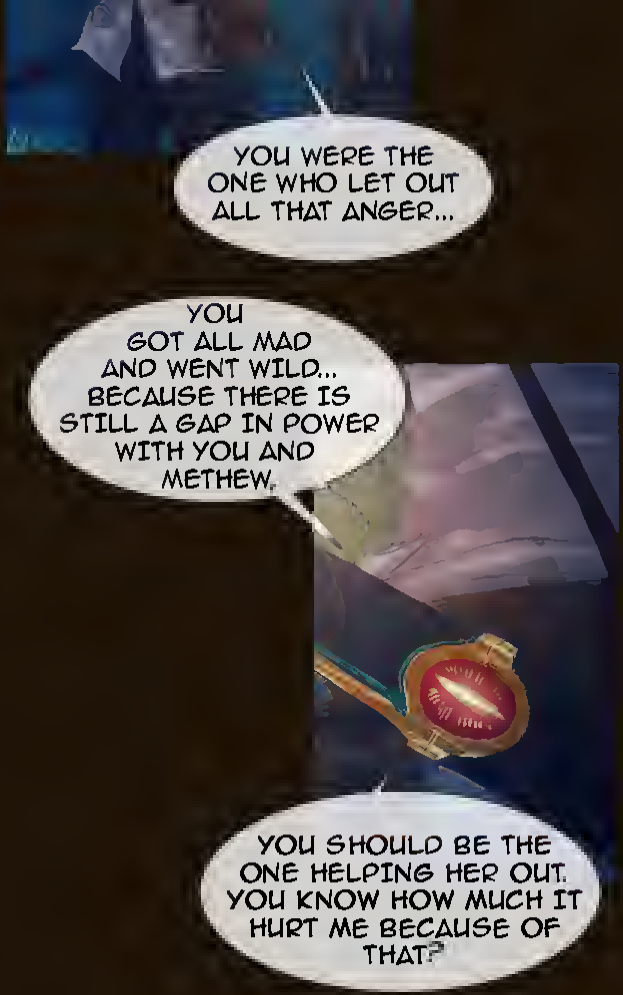
CALM YOURSELF AND TAKE DEEP BREATHS.
WHEW
WHEW
SSH
OKAY.

ARE YOU OKAY NOW, METHEW?
WHAT ABOUT ME?
QUIT BEING SUCH A CRYBABY.
SSH
YEAH, I'M OKAY NOW.
THANK YOU FOR LETTING ME KNOW QUICKLY.
SORRY FOR RUINING OUR SPARRING SESSION.

SSH
HEH HEH
I WAS LOSING, SO I ENDED UP GETTING A BIT WORKED UP. HEH HEH HEH.
WHEW... THAT WAS A CLOSE ONE.
SHING
SHING


IF YOU GET INTO THE HABIT OF USING THAT POWER EVERY TIME WE SPAR, YOU AREN'T GONNA GET ANY BETTER.
YOU NEED TO GET THE BASICS DOWN FIRST.
HEH. SORRY. I SHOULD HAVE CONCENTRATED MORE...

I STILL HAVE A LONG WAY TO GO. THERE IS STILL SO MUCH I DON'T KNOW.
MY GOODNESS, HE HAS A WAY WITH WORDS.
CLANK
HONESTLY, THIS HAPPENED BECAUSE YOU WENT ALL OUT.
PRICK
ACK!

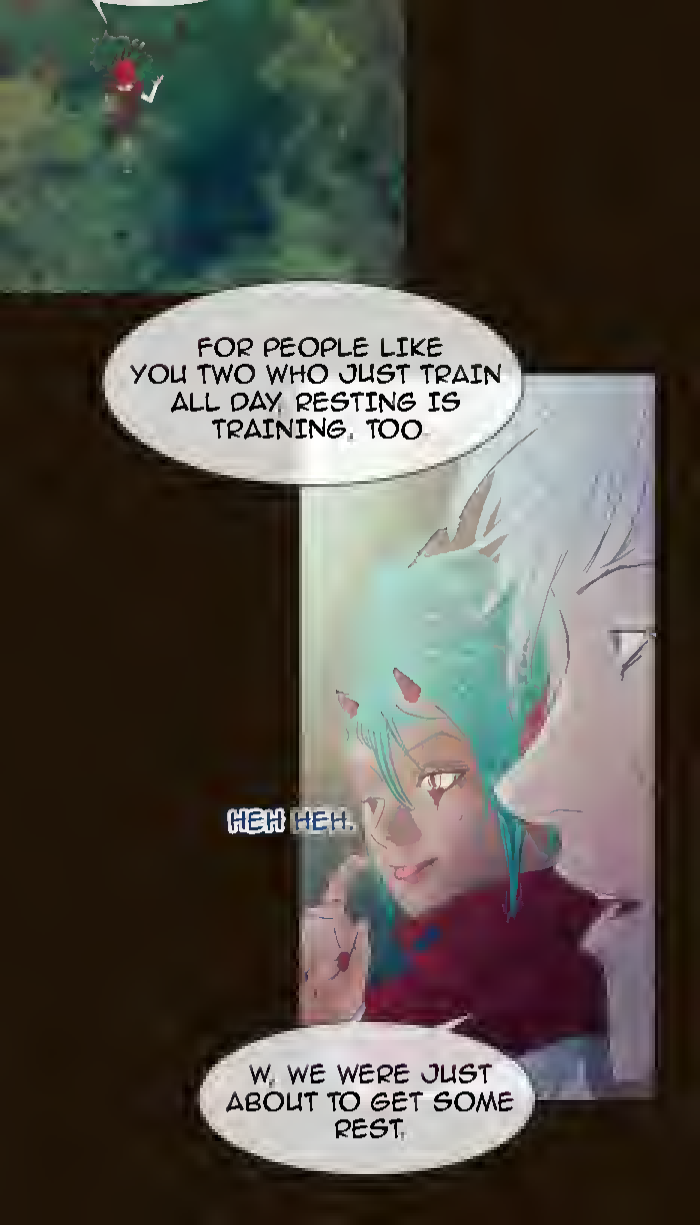

YOU WERE THE ONE WHO LET OUT ALL THAT ANGER...
YOU GOT ALL MAD AND WENT WILD... BECAUSE THERE IS STILL A GAP IN POWER WITH YOU AND METHEW.
YOU SHOULD BE THE ONE HELPING HER OUT. YOU KNOW HOW MUCH IT HURT ME BECAUSE OF THAT?

R...RIGHT?
AHAHAHAHA.
IT JUST HAPPENED...
DID SOMETHING HAPPEN WHILE I WAS GONE?
NO. IT WAS NOTHING.

LET'S GET SOME REST.
SHOULD WE? LET'S GO REST IN THE SHADE.
HOW WAS IT? YOU THINK I GOT BETTER?
YOU? IT'S SCARY SEEING YOU GET SO MUCH STRONGER EVERY DAY.
RUSTLE
REALLY? HAHA.

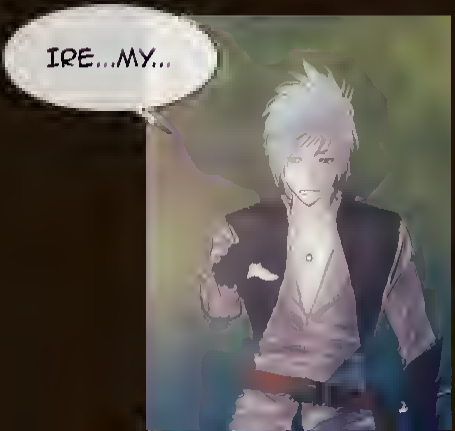
THAT'S WHY ENZ WENT ALL OUT.
REALLY? THAT MAKES ME HAPPY.
N...NO AHAHAHA
METHEW!!!
HEY, BE QUIET.
AW, ENZ IS EMBARRASSED. HAHAHA.
I THOUGHT YOU GUYS MIGHT BE HERE. SO I DECIDED TO STOP BY.

WHEN I WENT BACK, YOUR GEAR WAS GONE, SO I THOUGHT YOU GUYS MIGHT BE HERE...
I WAS RIGHT...
LEAN
YOU GUYS HAVE TO SPAR EVEN WHEN WE'RE HERE? GET SOME REST WHILE YOU CAN.
I REALLY DON'T UNDERSTAND YOU GUYS SOME TIMES.


FOR PEOPLE LIKE YOU TWO WHO JUST TRAIN ALL DAY, RESTING IS TRAINING, TOO
HEH HEH.
W, WE WERE JUST ABOUT TO GET SOME REST.

REALLY? THEN CAN I BORROW METHEW FOR A BIT?
HUH? IS SOMETHING WRONG?
TWIRL
WHAT ELSE WOULD IT BE? IT'S BECAUSE I'M BORED. OH, AND METHEW.

IF YOU KEEP HANGING OUT WITH ENZ, YOUR MUSCLES WILL BECOME SO THICK.
HUH? UH...
LET'S GO.
EHHH?


IRE...MY...

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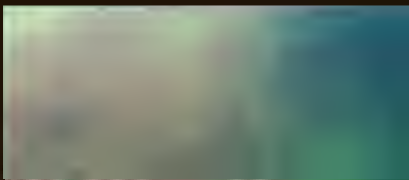
ERR....

HAHA. YOU GOT THROWN AWAY?
SSH
MM...
GOSH. WHATEVER.

LEAN
WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO? WE WON'T BE WELCOMED IF WE GO BACK.
THEN, LET'S GO THERE.
GLANCE
AHH...

WE DON'T HAVE TO TAKE ANYTHING?
I'M GONNA PICK SOME FLOWERS ON THE WAY.
HA, SO HALF-HEARTED.



FATHER.

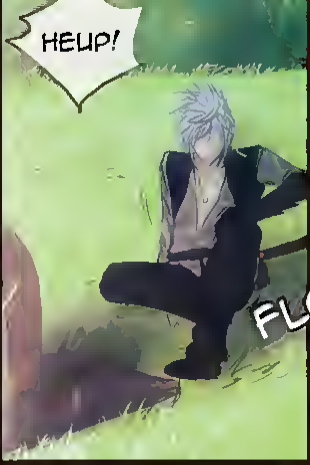
I'M SORRY I COULDN'T COME BACK EVERY YEAR.
BUT, I NEVER FORGOT ABOUT YOU.

I'M
SORRY TO SAY THIS,
BUT I DON'T KNOW WHEN
I CAN COME BACK
AGAIN.

ONCE WE FIND ETHERMASK AND SETTLE THINGS WITH ETHAN, I'M SURE I CAN VISIT MORE OFTEN.
HEH HEH

WELL, YOU WOULDN'T WANT ME TO GET REVENGE.

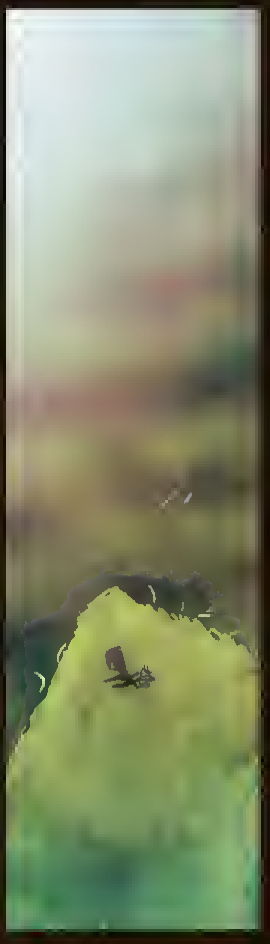
BUT I REFUSE NOT TO SETTLE THINGS WITH ETHAN. DON'T TRY TO STOP ME.

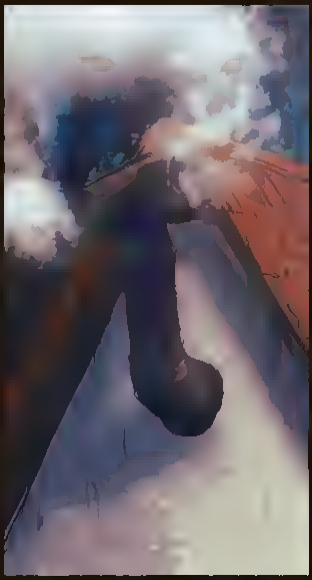

HEUP!
FLOP

SSH

HEH~,

RESTING LIKE THIS ISN'T SO BAD
I'M GONNA REST BY YOUR SIDE FOR TODAY, FATHER
WHOOSH





Oh...

MM...
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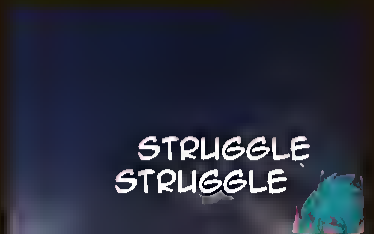
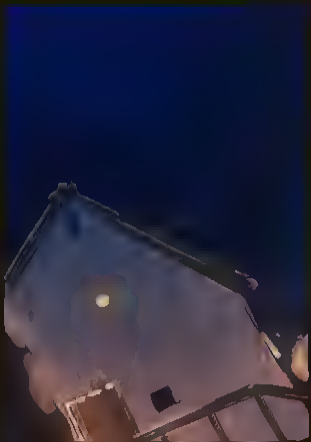
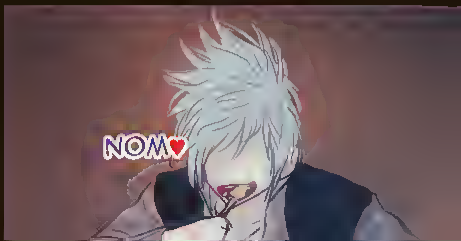
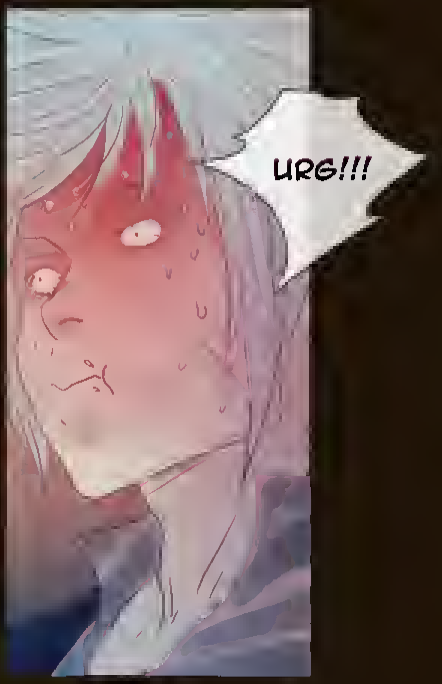

STRUGGLE
STRUGGLE

ARGH!



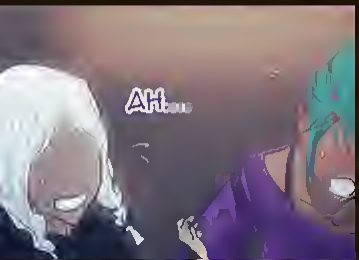
GRIN.
MY MASTERPIECE.

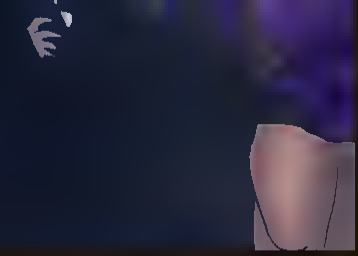

NOM♥


URG!!!

ACKKK

OH, MY....
THUMP
TREMBLE
TREMBLE


AH....



EH...

CHIRP
CHIRP

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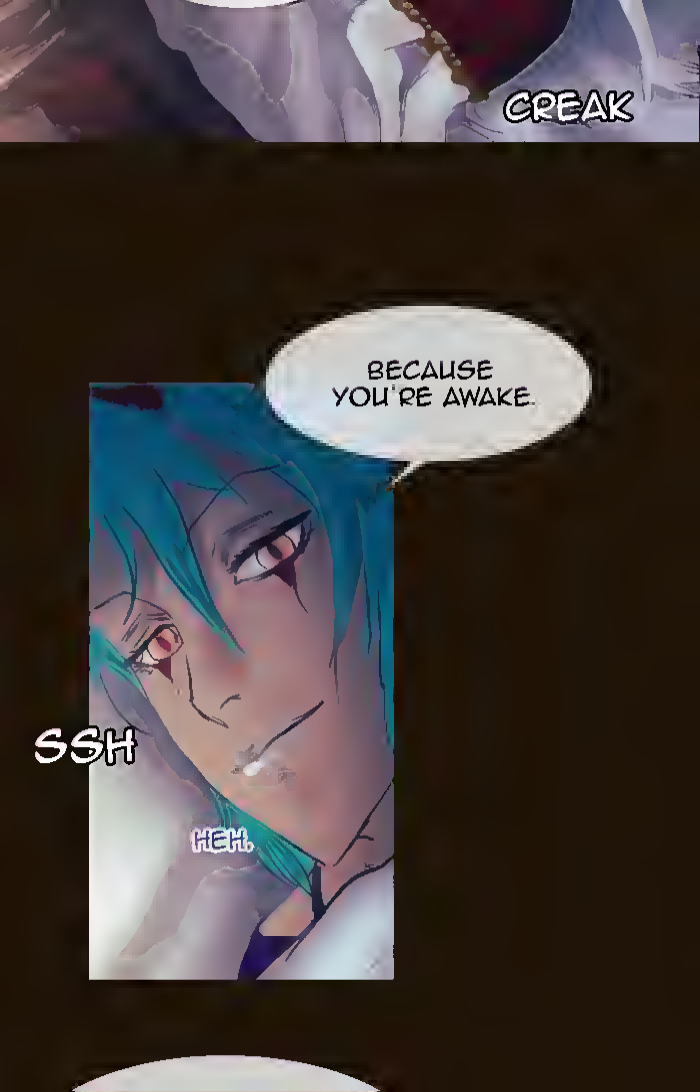
WHAT'S ON YOUR MIND?
MM...
YOU WEREN'T SLEEPING?


CREAK
BECAUSE YOU'RE AWAKE.
SSH
HEH.

SORRY.
I CAN'T SLEEP BECAUSE IT'S SO QUIET TONIGHT.
IT'S A BIT UNCOMFORTABLE BEING SOMEWHERE SO COZY.
I MUST HAVE GOTTEN USED TO OUR LOUD AND THRILLING JOURNEY.
WHEW~
WHEW~.

SAME GOES FOR ME.
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I FEEL MORE COMFORTABLE WHEN THERE IS SOME THRILL.

TO BE CONTINUED...

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